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ANDERSON CRAIG DIES SUDDENLY

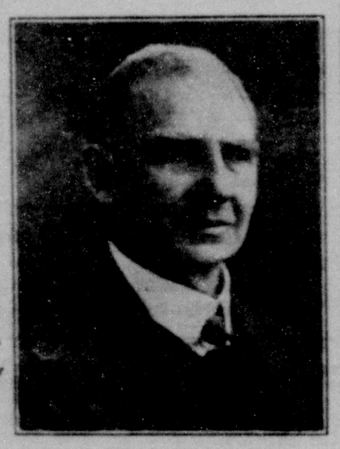
SUCCUMBS TO HEART TROUBLE, FOLLOWING ACUTE INDIGESTION

NODAWAY RESIDENT FOR FORTY-SIX YEARS

State Senator For Four Years and Active in Social and Religious Life of Nodaway County.

Senator Anderson Craig died suddenly at his home at 7 o'clock last night of heart trouble caused by an attack of acute indigestion. He had been working on his farm, about two miles northeast of Maryville and at 11 o'clock returned home complaining of illness. At noon Dr. H. S. Rowlett was called and after his visit Senator Craig seemed to rest easier. A second attack occurring about 6:30 o'clock in the evening resulted in his death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. T H. Wiles. Burial will be in the Miriam cemetery.



SENATOR ANDERSON CRAIG.

Senator Craig, who was 65 years old, spent forty-six years of his life in Nodaway county and twenty-eight years of this time in Maryville. He was born in Gallatin county, Ky., June 23, 1851, and was the son of Judge Albert Gallatin Craig and Virginia Brooking Craig, both natives and residents during their entire lives of Kentucky. He was educated chiefly at Ghent College, Ghent, Ky., and after completing the course of study at that institution he became a student at Washington and Lee University, that renowned seat of learning located in Shenandoah Valley, Va. During his course at that university he had the rare privilege of being under the care and supervision until his death of the renowned leader, Gen. Robert E. Lee. Completing his course, Mr. Craig engaged in teaching near Ghent for a short time.

When 20 years old Mr. Craig came to Nodaway county and located in Hughes township on a 220-acre farm. On December 17, 1874 he married Miss Mary Still, the only daughter of James Moore Still and Mrs. R. M. Still, both natives of Virginia. The wedding took place at Eudora, Kan. Mrs. Craig and two children, Mrs. C. H. Coe, who lives at home with her parents, and Dr. Arthur Still Craig of Kansas City, survive him.

Mr. Craig is also survived by four brothers and one sister. They are Gallatin Craig, Nevada, Mo.; S. L. Craig, Springfield, Mo.; J. M. and Virginius Craig, both of Ghent, Ky., and Miss Laura B. Craig also of Ghent, Ky.

Since he first set foot on Nodaway county soil, Senator Craig's name has always been associated with every movement of a political, social or religious nature and his quality of leadership gave him a place of power and influence in the county.

He took a prominent part in politics and during the last campaign was an active supporter of Governor Gardner. Mr. Craig was probably closer to Governor Gardner than any other man in this part of the state. Mr. Craig was only recently appointed as a member of the state board of managers of the St. Joseph hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph by Governor Gardner and had attended only one meeting.

Senator Craig had held many important offices. He was elected state senator from this district in 1912 and served four years. He was known as one of the prominent senators during his term and advocated many measures of importance to the people. He became a candidate for congress before the last primary but withdrew from the race.

He was appointed by Governor Fo'k a member of the board of regents of the State Normal School here in December, 1908, and was president of the board. He was elected representative from this county in 1910, and served two years.

Senator Craig was one of the principal promoters and organizers of the Mutual Telephone system of which he was the first president. He also had been engaged in promoting the Drainage District company, the work having been just recently completed. Mr. Craig was the first president of the company.

To Mr. Craig and L. T. Lee, a neighbor farmer at that time, was due the credit of inaugurating a system of tile drainage by which bottom land lying along the 102 river hitherto useless has been brought into a state of high and profitable cultivation. For the promotion of this interest he established the first tiling factory ever built in Maryville.

Mr. Craig's activity in church circles was an important part in his career. At the time of his death he was chairman of the Board of the Baptist church Deacons. Two years ago he resigned as Sunday school superintendent after twenty years service to the church in that capacity. He was known among the members of the church as a liberal contributor not only of money, but of the spirit and energy which did so much to make the Baptist church work in Maryville a success.

100 AT K. C. MEETING

Entertainment Committee, Appointed by Grand Knight Ferritor, Furnishes Fine Program.

The Knights of Columbus held the first of their "get-together meetings" at their hall last night. E. L. Ferritor, grand knight of the local order appointed the following committee to furnish the entertainment for the evening, and 100 members from Maryville and near-by towns responded to the invitations.

A short program of music and speeches was held at the hall, after which a cafeteria luncheon was served at Edwards Cafe. James Cummins acted as toastmaster during the luncheon and speeches were given by the following knights: Maurice Conway and J. J. Tushaus of St. Joseph, Conrad Yehle, Nick Sturm, Francis Hunt, Charles Buhler, Ed Costello and Henry Heitman.

The out-of-town guests attending the meeting were: Maurice Conway, a district deputy of the Knights of Columbus from St. Joseph; J. J. Tushaus, St. Joseph; Will Cummins, Burlington Junction; Tom Mulholland, Christopher Cummins of Ford City; T. F. Merrigan, Clyde; Mr. Boedecker, Parnell, and Francis Hunt, St. Louis.

SIX ELMO GRADUATES

H. S. Commencement Exercises to be Held at Methodist Church Next Friday Night.

The commencement exercises for the 1917 graduating class of the Elmo High school will be given at the M. E. church, South, on Friday night, May 4, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The graduates are: Georgia Kinman, Grace Calfee, Mabel Colvin, Bernice Calfee, William McGinty, Marcus Dilley.

The commencement address will be by Dr. H. R. DeBra of Missouri Wesleyan College, at Cameron, Mo.

General Funston's Mother Dies.

Iola, Kan., April 27.—The mother of the late General Funston died over grief at her son's death, in Emporia, Kan., last night.

Fern—*Tonight*

"Liberty"

nineteenth episode

TEN CENTS TO ALL.

The **Maryville Business College** will give **$5.00** commission to every teacher who brings another (not a teacher) and both enroll for our Summer Term beginning May first. For further particulars write or call **The Maryville Business College**

JUPE PLUVIUS WINS

DELAYS HIGH SCHOOL TRACK MEET FOR ONE WEEK.

SEVERAL TEAMS ARRIVE

Attempt to Stage Postponed Event Will Be Made May 5 — Nearly All Athletes Will Come.

Score another knock-out for old "Jupe" Pluvius. With the track one big puddle of water and the icy blasts from the north sweeping down upon us, President Richardson of the Normal decided that this is no time for a track meet to be held. He accordingly called up all the schools entered in the meet and told them that the track meet was off for the time being.

There is much difference of opinion over the move, but it was probably the best thing to do, as the weather man predicts worse and more of it for tonight and Saturday.

The literary contests will be held tonight as previously scheduled, regardless of the weather. The baseball game with Tarkio, scheduled for this afternoon, has been indefinitely postponed.

Another attempt to stage the track meet will be made next Saturday, May 5. That date conflicts with the state meet at Columbia, but the authorities are of the opinion that the attendance at the Maryville meet will not be affected. President Richardson called all the schools this morning and asked if any of them intended to send teams to the state meet and only one responded in the affirmative. St. Joseph Central, which has heretofore always taken part in the meet at Columbia, declared in favor of the Maryville meet. Maitland will send one man to Columbia and the rest of the team to Maryville. All the other schools will probably send their teams here.

The greatest difficulty confronting those in charge of the meet here, is the question of what to do with the teams which have already arrived in town. Liberty, Breckenridge, and part of the Trenton bunch are here and one or two others are on the way. The other schools were notified of the change in date before their start.

The literary contests will be held in the Normal auditorium tonight. The attendance will probably be cut down due to the absence of the out-of-town contingents, but the contests will be of the highest class.

KANSAS AND HER CROPS

Will Use Every Means to Increase Its Harvest For the National Food Crisis.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 27.—Kansas will use every measure available to increase its crop. The Kansas Council of Defense plans to equip with powerful searchlights each of the 4,000 tractors, owned in that state, so they can be used by day or night to increase cultivation to meet the national food crisis. The plans have been outlined by H. J. Waters, dean of the Kansas State College of Agriculture and a member of the council.

In addition, co-operative labor gangs will be organized so that the work may not halt.

The problem is to get the abandoned wheat acreage planted to grain sorghum, to put the crop in pit silos, where it will be in the best shape to make milk and wheat, and to get the land cleared in time for fall wheat sowing.

FEDERATES KING CITY CLUB.

Mrs. M. G. Tate, President of District Busy Visiting District Clubs.

Mrs. M. G. Tate, president of the District Federation of Women's clubs, returned yesterday from Rosendale, where she was a guest of the Rosendale Study club.

Monday Mrs. Tate was in King City where she assisted in the federation of the King City Study club with the district organization. Mrs. Tate's plans on visiting a number of district clubs in the near future.

Rainfall is 1.13 Inches.

The weather predictions for today and tomorrow indicate that rain or snow will be in order. Up until 7 o'clock this morning .93 of an inch had fallen and until noon today the rainfall was 1.13 inches. Rain in the east and rain or snow in the west tonight and Saturday with colder weather is what the St. Joseph forecast has to offer.

MRS. WRIGHT DIES

CANCER OF STOMACH FATAL TO MARYVILLE WOMAN.

SHE WAS 42 YEARS OLD

Funeral Services Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon at the First M. E. Church, Rev. Cox Officiating.

Mrs. Lena J. Wright, wife of H. E. Wright, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning, after a three weeks' illness caused by cancer of the stomach. Mrs. Wright had not been well for some time, but was able to do her work until about three weeks ago. A trip to Rochester, Minn., was made by Mr. and Mrs. Wright last week, but the doctors gave Mrs. Wright no hope. She grew worse steadily after her return to Maryville.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church, the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox officiating. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Wright, whose birthplace is Maryville, celebrated her forty-second birthday last Saturday. With her parents, she moved to Grant City when six months old and grew to womanhood in that town. On August 24, 1896 she was married to Henry Wright and is survived by her husband and one daughter, Miss Lucile Wright, who lives at home.

Mrs. Wright is also survived by her sister, Mrs. Charles Edlund, Inwood, Ia.; her brother, John Jamison of Grant City, and her mother, Mrs. Florence Houser, also of Grant City. Her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Mattison of Grant City, is here to attend the funeral. Mrs. Fred Hull, Maryville, is her cousin.

Mrs. Wright was a devoted member of the First M. E. church and was an active member in the various church organizations. She was a member of the Royal Neighbors of America at Parnell.

EDITORS' MEETING OFF

Postponed On Account of Rain and Track Meet—Some of the Visitors Entertained at Luncheon.

A conference with the editors and newspaper representatives, who arrived on the noon train for the purpose of attending the Northwest Missouri Press association meeting resulted in the postponement of the social meeting which was to be held in Maryville beginning this evening and lasting until tomorrow night. The editors who planned on arriving this evening were telephoned not to come.

The cause of the postponement was the rain and also the postponement of the track meet which was to be a part of the afternoon's entertainment.

The following were entertained with a luncheon at the Bainum Hotel at noon today: W. D. Meng, special writer for the Kansas City Star; Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Ives of Dearborn, owners of the Dearborn Democrat; Fred R. Barkhurst and Miss Mabel T. Crane of the St. Joseph Gazette; J. P. Tucker of Parkville and A. C. Bush of Kansas City, representing the Western Newspaper Union.

EDITOR'S FATHER DIES

J. M. Hildebrant, 75 Years Old Passes Away at Home in Guilford—Funeral Sunday.

J. M. Hildebrant, 75 years old, died at 9:30 o'clock this morning at Guilford, following a six weeks' illness of heart trouble.

Mr. Hildebrant is survived by one son, Herbert Hildebrant editor of the Guilford Times, with whom he made his home and by one brother and one sister.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the residence, conducted by the Rev. O. E. Lockart, pastor of the Methodist church. Burial will be in the Graves cemetery.

Mr. Hildebrant has made his home at Guilford for about thirty years.

Earthquake in Central Italy.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Rome, April 27.—Many persons have been killed in an earthquake in Central Italy. The shock centered in Tuscany and Umbria, but the greatest damage was done in the vicinity of Arezzo.

Mrs. R. E. Thomas and daughter, Miss Verna, went to St. Joseph yesterday on business.

UNCLE SAM'S FIRST TASK.

—Goldsmith in Boston Globe.

CONTESTANTS HERE

LITERARY CONTEST WILL BE HELD AT NORMAL TONIGHT.

JUDGES ARE SELECTED

Sixteen Contestants Will Try For Speaking Honors — Four Contestants in Song Finals.

The literary contest under the auspices of the Northwest Missouri High School association will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the Normal auditorium according to schedule. All of the contestants will be in Maryville by this evening and superintendents and students of the various high schools are looking forward to an exceptionally interesting event.

Miss Jessie Parcher and the Rev. S. A. Coile have been chosen to judge the declamatory, oritorical and extemporaneous speaking contests and Prof. P. O. Landon, Miss Jennie Garrett and the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will judge the song contest. Another judge for the speaking contests will be selected.

The program will be given as follows:

Boys' declamatory—
1. John Holden, Gilman City.
2. Mr. Trapp, St. Joseph.
3. Harry Sullivan, Excelsior Springs
4. Derril Gross, Breckenridge.

Music—Trenton Octette.

Girls' declamation—
1. Blanche Silvers, Kansas City.
2. Mary Flack, Excelsior Springs.
3. Erma Greene, Maryville.
4. Helen Lee Winters, Chillicothe.

Music—Liberty, solo.

Boys' extemporaneous—
1. Lloyd Vance, Trenton.
2. Elwyn Cady, Chillicothe.
3. Otto Modeer St. Joseph.
4. Roland Raines, Tarkio.

Girls' extemporaneous—
1. Hugh Butterfield, Excelsior Spgs.
2. Elizabeth Redmond, Chillicothe.
3. Ruth Levine, St. Joseph.
4. Mary White, Albany.

Music—The St. Joseph quartette.

FOOD MAY BE SCARCER

Americans Will Find Themselves Going to Market With Food Cards If the Scarcity Continues.

Washington, April 27. — Food still continues to grow scarcer and Americans may find themselves going to market with food cards and getting just enough flour and potatoes to satisfy the normal appetite.

Economists, appearing before the senate agricultural committee in its daily food conferences, have already begun to suggest the necessity of such measures.

Misses Mattie Grove and Wardie Wilson of Hardin, arrived in Maryville today noon for a several days' visit with Miss Virginia Lawson and other friends.

PREPARING TO VOTE

SCORES OF SENATORS WANT TO SPEAK ON CONSCRIPTION.

KAHN FIRES BROADSIDE

Arraigns Volunteer System in Terms That Bring Applause From All Sides of the House.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 27.—The administration's final broadside for conscription was fired in the house today by Kahn, of California, a Republican. While praising the volunteers themselves Kahn arraigned the volunteer system itself in terms that brought applause from both sides of the house.

Will Register Views.

Washington, April 27.—With only two days remaining for the debate on the selective draft in the senate, a score of senators today registered themselves on the speaking list to record their views before the measure goes to a vote at midnight tomorrow night. The senate has made preparations to stay in session continuously until the vote is taken if necessary.

Progress in Conferences.

Washington, April 27. — Material progress has already been made in the informal conferences now going on between the members of the International war commission and the American officials. A statement to this effect was made today. In fact so much progress was made that Balfour locked himself up in his study to take the first rest of his visit.

Sunday's Band Program

March—"Semper Fidelis," Sousa.

Medley Overture No. 1 — "Feist Bright Lights," Glogan.

Fox Trot—"You'd Never Know that Old Home Town of Mine," Grooms.

Violin Solo — "Selected," by Ralph Yehle.

Waltz — "Wedding of the Winds," Hall.

"Facination Intermezzo," Althouse.

Song—"America, I Love You," by ten little girls.

"American Patrol," Mecham.

March—"Pasadena Bay," Mondrone.

Denver, April 27.—One hundred and twenty men are reported trapped in a coal mine near Trinidad. No details are available.

HAIG'S BRITAINS MAKE NEW GAINS

POUNDING WHOLE LINE OF IMPORTANT POSITIONS NEAR ARRAS

GERMANS MAY HAVE TO RETIRE FURTHER

Are Unable to Stave Off the Constantly Growing Pressure of the British Troops.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 27.—Field Marshall Haig's British army in France is again pounding at the whole line of important German positions between Gavrette and Roux, near Arras. The Cambrai road has been captured, the war office announced today. The Teutons have massed an enormous number of reserves in this region for the protection of the Drocourt-Weauant line, the sole remaining auxiliary to the northern end of the Hindenburg line. Fighting marked by the utmost violence is being carried on near Hargicourt. The fortified stone quarries in this section were captured by the British in a storm of attacks.

London, April 27.—The further retirement of three miles for the German armies, east of Arras, was imminent today unless they could stave off the constantly growing pressure of the British. The desperation of the German situation on that front has been seen in the furious counter attacks of the Teutons during the last forty-eight hours.

Battle South of Riga.

Petrograd, April 27.—A mighty battle with artillery developed on the Western front south of Riga, the war office announced. The Germans have been reinforced in that sector, and the dispatch from headquarters indicates that the Teutons have either started a big offensive or are planning to do so immediately.

Turkish Retreat Spreads.

London, April 27.—The Turkish retreat in Mesopotamia now extends north of Samarra, according to the official report.

French Resume Drive.

Paris, April 27.—After a brief lull the French resumed their drive to Champagne, it was announced today.

ANOTHER GERMAN RAID

Teuton Warships Bombard English Coast South of Thames — Two Persons Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 27.—German war ships have again raided the British coast. The official announcement of the attack was made by the British admiralty today. The coast was bombarded south of the Thames river. Twenty houses were destroyed or damaged, two persons were killed and others were wounded at Ramsgate. The British destroyers gave battle, and the German warships fled.

VILLA MAKES CAPTURE.

El Paso, April 27.—The capture by Villa of two Carranza troop trains was admitted today by the officers attached to the forces of General Murguia.

A. R. Harper of Stanberry is in Maryville on business.

THE WEATHER.

Rain tonight and Saturday; colder tonight southwest portion and south portion Saturday.

Feature Tonight

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KOCH PHARMACY

Maryville, Missouri

Guests of Mr. Haines.

Mrs. Walter G. Hardisty and two small sons, Homer and Henry of Akron, O., and Mrs. J. A. Krontz of Canal Dover, O., will arrive in Maryville at noon today and will visit this afternoon with their brother, Harvey L. Haines. Mrs. Hardisty and Mrs. Krontz are just returning from Sabetha, Kan., where they helped to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary last Tuesday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Haines.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night in "Fanchon the Cricket." Empire Theatre

Leaves for St. Joseph.

W. J. Osburn left today for St. Joseph, where he will meet Mrs. Osburn, who is returning from Morrisville, where she was called on account of the serious illness of her aunt.

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CORN TO REPLACE WHEAT

Dean Mumford of College of Agriculture Says That Farmers Must Plant Excess Crops of This Grain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Columbia, Mo., April 27.—Corn must make up for the shortage in wheat and other grain crops, according to Dean F. B. Mumford of the College of Agriculture of the University of Misscuri.

The United States purchased in 191[illegible] ten bushels of wheat per capita," said Dean Mumford. "In 1916 we produced only six bushels per capita. In 1916 we consumed for seed and ordinary consumption and six and one-third bushels per capita. There was exported from American ports in 1916 two and one-half bushels per capita. Recent estimates of the world crop indicate that there is a world shortage in the present wheat harvest of nearly 300,000,000 bushels.

"The present condition of wheat is 62 per cent of normal. Compared with a ten-year average, it is 18 per cent normal."

WOMEN WILL GO TO FARMS.

Gardening, Poultry Raising, and Stock Raising Engages Their Interest.

Columbia, Mo., April 27.—Men will not be alone in the back-to-the-farm movement to increase the productiveness of the state. Approximately ten women of the University of Missouri have been granted excuses from that institution with full credit to take up work on Missouri farms.

Poultry raising and gardening are the principal vocations which the women will follow, but one has made a more pretentious choice — stock raising and general farming. The majority of the women excused will go to the farms operated by their parents. Several, however, will work independently.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night at Empire.

PLANT GOOD SEED.

In this day of the high prices for all farm products the value of good seed is being especially emphasized and the science of seed selection and testing is urged upon the farmers of the country from many sources. It would seem that this course would need no urging in this day and generation as the value of good seed has been understood by agriculturalists for hundreds of years. Cato, in the days of ancient Rome, wrote: "Seed should be examined to ascertain that it is not sterile by age, that it is clean and particularly that it is not adulterated with other varieties of similar appearance." This latter is something which is all too frequently done by unscrupulous sellers. In this section, where it is particularly desirous that seed raised here should be planted, there is room for many farmers who will give their time and attention to raising seed which will be true to name and type, from prolific strains and of assured fertility.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night in "Fanchon the Cricket." Empire Theatre

Miss Vida Young Home.

Miss Vida Young, who has been taking treatment at the Mayo hospital in Rochester, Minn., for some time following an operation, was able to return to the home of her parents at the Mineral Springs Sunday. She was accompanied here by her aunt, Mrs. Markley, who assisted in caring for her at Rochester. Miss Vida can walk a little now without the assistance of crutches, but it will be some time before she fully recovers her strength. The operation affected a cure that is almost marvelous, and the family and friends of Miss Young rejoice with her in its success.—Burlington Junction Post.

TO MAKE DEMURRAGE UNIFORM

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 27.—An agreement whereby demurrage charges may be made uniform throughout the country and the charge made double the former rate was reached by the railroads and shippers today.

There will be five good, fresh cows to sell at the Coleman sale Saturday 27*

MISSOURI SPIRIT.

There is an air of get-together—
In Missouri.
Happy hearts and balmy weather—
In Missouri.
Miles and miles and miles and miles
Of delightful sunny smiles,
That the stranger's heart beguiles—
In Missouri.

Bouquet for Mr. Hakel.

Fred Lewis Hakel, the violinist gave a program at the Lucile Theatre on Friday night of last week. He is a good one, and lovers of good music need not be disappointed should he come again.—Elmo Register.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night in "Fanchon the Cricket." Empire Theatre

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

Band Employs Instructor.

The Barnard Booster Band has employed a capable instructor and will go ahead with their band work harder than ever. Prof. T. B. Maulding, chief musician of the Fourth Missouri regimental band will come down from Maryville once every week and give the boys private lessons and band rehearsals. The band was unfortunate in losing Prof. O'Hanlon but are even more fortunate in securing the services of such an experienced teacher as Professor Maulding. There will be a concert on the streets Saturday night if the weather is favorable.

Prof. Pierce Re-elected.

The school board met last week and tendered the teachers positions to each of last year's teachers. Prof. J. W. Pierce was tendered his position again at a salary of $1,000, an increase of $100 a year. We understand that he has accepted the place. Up to the time of going to press, none of the other teachers have signed up.—Barnard Bulletin.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night at Empire.

Mr. Sturm Returns.

Nick Sturm, who has been visiting for the last week with his son, Edward, of Oklahoma City, returned yesterday to his home. Mrs. Sturm and Miss Clara will visit for a few days with relatives in Kansas City before returning to Maryville.

Twenty-five Hogs Poisoned.

Rich Hill Mo., April 27.—Twenty-five head of fine hogs, valued at $800 died here from eating cockleburrs and the sprouts, which caused poisoning. A farmer near Hume, is also reported to have lost 17 head of hogs from the same cause.

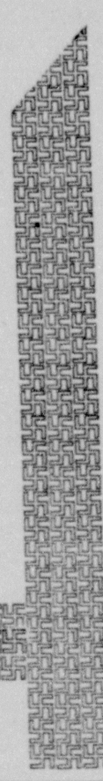
Will Join U. S. Navy.

Marion Owens the 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Owens of Skidmore, enlisted with the United States Navy yesterday in Kansas City. Mrs. Owens and Mrs. Fred Kellogg, mother and sister of the young man left this morning for Kansas City, where they will spend a few days with him. Mr. Owens will probably go as a musician.

Anthony Felix of Clyde is in Maryville today on business.

Don't forget May morning breakfast Christian church. 27-30

Getting All there Is in Tires



It is often stated that you can only get out of tires what is put into them. This is a statement with which we heartily agree. It is one which we have been preaching for some time. Yet, some manufacturers build a cheap so-called "standard tire" and spend millions in advertising it and after such enormous expense and such low price, where is there any chance for "Quality?"

Good rubber and good fabric costs money and where such material is used your tire will cost more money but you will get it back many times in excess milage.

Did you ever see an ad in any national magazine about MOHAWK tires? You did not. They put this money into their tire. Also some dealers try to impress upon buyers the weight of their tire against others, to prove their quality.

We say—and will prove to you—that pure rubber is as light as cork. It will float on water.

The MOHAWK tire is one of the lightest tires on the market for weight, yet it has one more ply of fabric and a thicker tread than most tires.

Don't forget that compound weighs more than PURE RUBBER.

We are th exclusive distributors of MOHAWK tires for Nodaway county. We are also the exclusive dealers for FISK tires in Maryville. The FISK tire is well known and we consider it one of the best popular priced tires sold.

SHOULD EITHER OF THE ABOVE TIRES PROVE UNSATISFACTORY, WE MAKE OUR OWN ADJUSTMENTS. IF YOU HAVE ONE OF EITHER MAKE WHICH IS NOT RIGHT NO MATTER WHERE YOU BOUGHT IT, BRING IT TO US AND WE WILL MAKE IT RIGHT. YOU WON'T HAVE TO WAIT A WEEK EITHER.

Maryville Tire & Rubber Co.

414 North Main Street—One-half block North of the Square.
Phones—Hanamo, 34; Farmers, 248.

Marion Smith, Truck Gardener.

Marion F. Smith, subscription man for the Democrat-Forum, has leased eight acres of ground on the Pete Meyer farm and will have a truck garden for the summer. He will specialize in the raising of corn and potatoes. He will still take subscriptions for magazines and papers.

Don't forget May morning breakfast Christian church. 27-30

Selects Co-Workers.

Carl Wray, who was appointed representative of Washington township for the encouragement of crop and all food supplies, has selected E. E. Carver and Ollie Davis as co-workers in this movement.

Guests at Rickenbrode's.

Mrs. Barney Minteer and daughter of Chillicothe, Mo., arrived in the city yesterday to spend the week end in Maryville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

If You Suffer From Catarrh

don't make the fatal mistake of regarding it as a trifling matter. Authorities agree that Catarrh is an infection of the blood. Consequently, sprays, salves and lotions can afford only temporary relief, because they do not reach the source of the disease,—the blood. When you depend on these temporary remedies alone your case is likely to grow steadily worse until it becomes chronic and possibly affects the lungs.

But even if the infection does not go this far, the continuous dripping of mucous in the throat, the constant spitting and hawking and evil odor of the breath will not only cause misery to you, but will make your presence obnoxious to others. S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years, will relieve your catarrh, because it will purify your blood and relieve it of the accumulated poisons. S. S. S. contains no mineral or habit-forming drugs. S. S. S. is on sale at all druggists and the advice of our medical department is at your disposal, free of charge. Swift Specific Co., 302 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

A Home

Is a house plus cheer and comfort. Why not make a Home of your house when it can be accomplished at little cost by installing

Electric Service

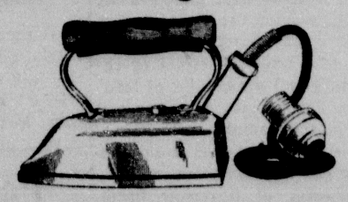
Which gives you cheer and comfort and an atmosphere of repose and refinement.

A Five-Room House—

Can be cheerfully lighted for $16.50 — larger houses in proportion.

Let Us Help You Plan and Give You the Benefit of Our Experience.

An Electric Iron and Ironing Board FREE During the "WIRE YOUR HOME TIME" we will give FREE with every home wired, a standard Electric Iron and an Ironing Board. You cannot afford to pass up this special offer.



Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Empire Theatre Building, Maryville, Mo. Phone 21

Saucy New Pumps that Throb with Style

The Sprightliest, best-fitting Spring Footwear we've ever shown

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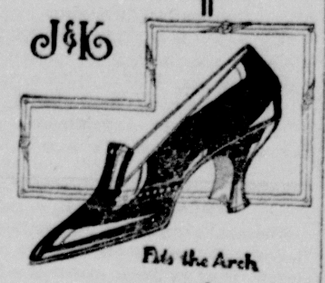


—Neat—Attractive—Perfect-fitting
—Because J & K Brand

Your size and width, of course—
a novelty that will please you
through and through

Montgomery Shoe Company

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42. Farmers phone 114

Call Miss Schenck.

All families having children under school age, whose names have not been given in through the school children, may telephone Miss Kate Schenck so that they may receive a flag tomorrow, which is flag day and also the beginning of Baby Week.

Smith's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith and daughter, Miss Flossie, entertained at dinner at their home, ten miles northwest of Maryville, Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tanner and daughter, Lucille, Mrs. J. W. Tanner, Misses Lizzie Tanner, Minnie and Opal Wagner, and Earl Petty, Oda Petty, Fred Wyatt, and Jesse Tanner.

Mrs. Cummins, Hostess.

The W. C. I. club met with Mrs. Emmett Cummins Thursday afternoon. The meeting was of a social nature and all present enjoyed the occasion very much. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held May 4, at the home of Mrs. Ben Booher.—Burlington Junction Post.

Miss Nelle Alkire Married.

Miss Nelle Alkire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire of Maryville, and Joseph Saunders also of Maryville were married at 11 o'clock yesterday in St. Joseph, the Rev. M. Goode pastor of the Christian church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders went on to Kansas City and from there they will go to other western points for a short visit before returning to Maryville. They will make their home on a farm, east of Maryville.

Party at Staples Home.

A number of young people enjoyed a very pleasant evening at Riverside farm, the country home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Staples, last Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing games. The young men's sewing contest caused much amusement. Music also aided in making the evening a pleasant one. Those present were. Misses Mary Springer, Okalla and Edna Suttle, Bernice Headrick, Ethel Folden, Esther and Lucy Palmer, Gertrude Walker; Messrs. Garland, Headrick, Ralph Folden, Chris Springer, Virgil Hagey, Stanley Houston, Chas. Carter, Earl Dale, Alfred Crane, Alvin Kingery, Merle Johnson, Melvin Jones, Harold Staples, Mr. and Mrs. Staples and the hostesses Misses Anna Crane and Margaret Parker.—Burlington Junction Post.

Tourist Department to Have Movie Matinee.

A movie matinee at the Empire on the afternoon of May 15, at which will be shown a four-reel picture of Siberia will conclude the year's study of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club.

The picture is obtained from the Pathe educational series and will be a comprehensive showing of the points of interest of Siberia and her people. Miss Lucie B. Davis will give a talk on the country preceding and while the picture is being shown. The department has been studying Russia during the winter meetings and the season has been one of unusual benefit.

The picture will be shown at the ordinary movie price and anyone caring to attend can do so.

Parnell Play Brings $81.80.

The play "Farm Folks," recently put on at the Parnell opera house netted the sum of $81.80 and the proceeds will be used for park and cemetery fund of that town. The play was under the auspices of the Willing Workers, an organization in Parnell for civic improvement.

The cast of characters were: Philip Burleigh, a young man from New York, Virgil Spoonemore; Dave Weston, a young farmer, Chester Winmiller; Amos Goodwin, owner of Silverbrook farm, Noble Klaas; Bijah Finn, jack-of-all-trades, Roscoe Reeves; Thompson, servant at the Burleigh residence, Forbes Starr; Flora Goodwin, "only a country girl," Lena Foland; Sarah Goodwin, wife of Amos, Zoa Dinsmore; Mrs. Burleigh, Philip's mother, Bessie Stoner; Grace Burleigh, his sister, Matie Evans; Mrs. Peasely, "who never has a minute to spare," Irene Klaas; Delia Slocum, hired girl at the farm, Rosetta Klaas.

Mrs. E. J. Klaas was director and was assisted by Mrs. Charles Evans.

For Miss Margaret Hosmer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at their home on West Third street, the occasion being the eleventh birthday anniversary of their daughter, Margaret Louise. Spring flowers decorated the table, which was also centered with a beautiful birthday cake lighted with eleven pink candles. The place cards, celluloid birds to represent the Kantucky Cardinals were placed on a goblet at each place with a tiny gilt edge card with the name of the guest on it. The guests present were. Prof. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Miss Bertha Northcutt, Miss Cora Gehr, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Miss Lois Farmer, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink.

Wray's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wray of Pickering entertained the business men the members of the school board and the town board at a two-course luncheon last night at their home. Miss Gertrude Wray and Omer Strong delighted the guests with music. Following the luncheon Mr. Wray gave a talk, in which he told his guests that he was leaving Pickering and moving to Stanberry where he had purchased a furniture store. Following Mr. Wray's talk, the Rev. Mr. Hutchison told of their regret in losing Mr. Wray. The Rev. C. S. Dayhoff with an appropriate talk presented Mr. Wray with a bible as a parting gift. Those present were: W. C. Alexander, Harry Porterfield, C. C. Wilson, H. H. Wagner, Joe C. Shuff, Floyd Alexander, Lon Fine, Marvin Hall, W. M. Fine, Ed Herbert, W. R. McKee, Gordon Swinford, C. G. McMillen, Ed Bratcher, Roy Wolfers, Rev. C. S. Dayhoff, Rev. Mr. Hutchison, O. G. Null, W. C. Smith, Dr. Lafe Heryford, Dr. E. L. Crowson, C. E. Wolfers, John Williams, Omer Strong, Charles Garten, Pat Scott, L. L. Hood, Frank Wallis, W. E. Johnson, J. W. Riley, John Young.

Missionary Society Postponed.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church which was to have met this afternoon has been postponed on account of the death of Mrs. H. E. Wright.

Odd Fellows' Anniversary.

The Odd Fellows lodge of Parnell celebrated their ninety-eighth anniversary last night. Rev. J. E. Kemper opened the meeting with a talk. Afterward all present sang "America." Miss Lucile Collins delighted the guests with a reading. Hon. L. J. Eastin of St. Joseph and Mrs. Mamie Stewart Hartley of Kansas City each gave a talk. The members of the Rebekah drill team gave a drill. About seventy-five persons were present.

PEACE DISTURBANCE CHARGED.

Three Conception Junction Men Must Answer Charges at Next Term.

Tom Egan, John Egan, and John Morrissey of Conception Junction, were arrested yesterday by Sheriff Dowden on a charge of disturbing the peace of James Heekin. Each one of them gave bail in the sum of $200 and was bound over to the next term of court. These three men were arrested by Conception Junction on the same charge and were fined $5 each. The defendants just recently appealed their case to circuit court.

Bobbie Wright Operated On.

Bobbie Wright the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Ravenwood underwent an operation at the St. Francis hospital this morning, and had his tonsils removed.

Miss Marie Livasy began work this morning at the Alderman-Yehle Dry Good store. Miss Livasy is taking the place of Miss Neva Key, who will teach music in Barnard.

The record number of cases of eggs for the month of April so far shipped out of Guilford were sent last Tuesday, when 148 cases were shipped.

Skidmore School Population 158.

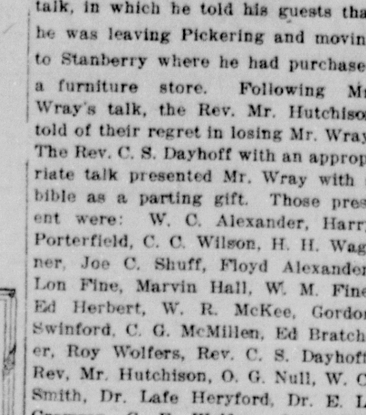
The school enumeration for the school district of Skidmore was completed this week by F. H. Barrett and there are seventy-nine females and seventy-nine males, a total of 158 of school age in this district.

John Mutz is ill at his home of the grippe.

Kramer's Cream gives satisfaction.

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

The boy's favorite
It's Easiest!
10¢ BLACK WHITE TAN 10¢
2 IN 1
SHOE POLISHES
P. P. DALLEY CO. OF NEW YORK INC. BUFFALO, N. Y.



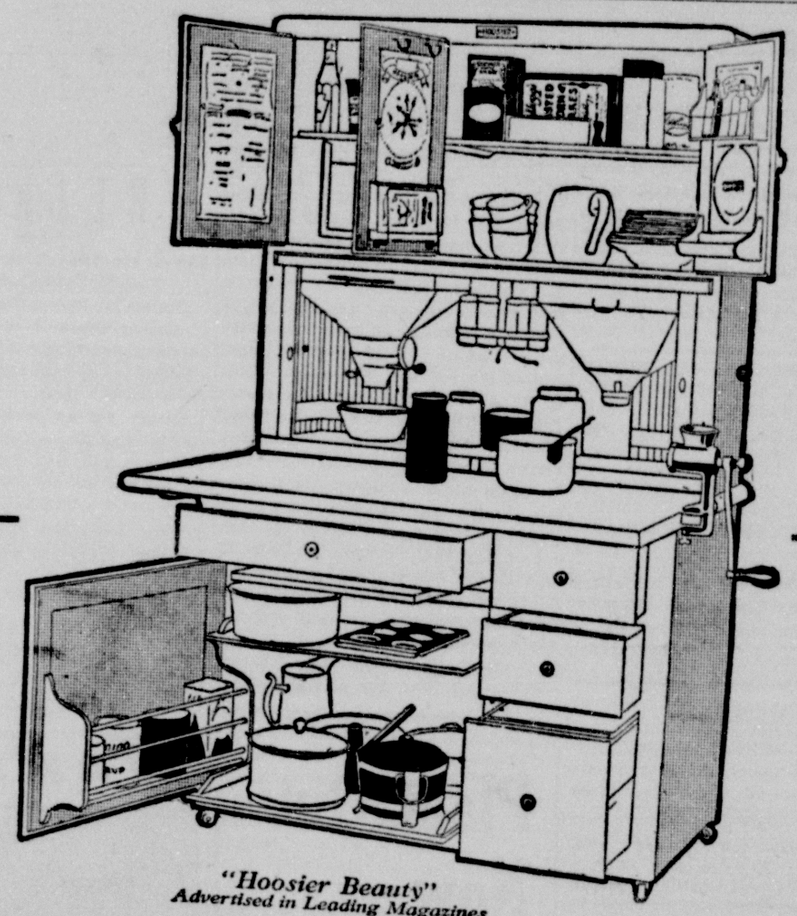
Rheumatism Is My Weather Prophet.

I can tell stormy weather days off by the twinges in my shoulders and knees. But here's an old friend that soon drives out the pains and aches.

Sloan's Liniment is so easy to apply, no rubbing at all, it sinks right in and fixes the pain. Cleaner than mussy plasters and ointments. Try it for gout, lumbago, neuralgia, bruises and sprains.

At your druggist, 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

Sloan's Liniment
KILLS PAIN



"Hoosier Beauty"
Advertised in Leading Magazines

The End of a Great Offe!r
Hoosier Sale Ends Tomorrow

Will you decide now to come down tomorrow and settle the matter once for all, or will you let tomorrow drift by—and then realize that you are too late to decide, because of the close of the HOOSIER PLAN OF SALE?

Scores of other women are in your state of mind. They are reading this final call tonight. And many who have postponed as you have are making up their minds tonight to come down tomorrow for a final decision.

A choice still remains between Hoosier Beauty (selected by 3 out of 4 women) and the Hoosier Wonder. but the numbers are few and you cannot hope to to get one if you delay. You incur no obligation by coming, so let other matters wait tomorrow while you settle this important question.

You could scarcely imagine a decision of more importance to you. For the new Hoosier is a wonderful lobor-saver--already used by 1,000,000 women. It saves miles of steps and hours of valuable time. It saves health and good looks. It is low in price—and on the liberal terms of the Hoosier Plan is the Cheapest Kitchen Cabinet Ever Built.

The Hoosier Plan is Simply This

1—$1 puts the cabinet you choose in your home.
2—$1 weekly pays for it.
3—The Low Cash Price fixed by the factory prevails strictly.
4—No interest. No extra fees.
5—Your money back if you are not DELIGHTED with your Hoosier.
6—The sale is under direct supervision of the Hoosier Company.

What Possible Reason

can remain to deprive you of the use of this Hoosier? Only the small number of Hoosiers left and the certainty that more women will come than we can supply. Every day we have enrolled more women on the Hoosier Plan than we expected. There are fewer cabinets left for tomorrow than we have sold in one day. These few undoubtedly would be taken without this ad, but we make this final announcement to keep our promise to advise you of the last day.

We have kept our promise to you

Please remember, if you come too late, that we have told you every day of the progress of this sale, and that we now warn you of the final date in time for you to still enroll if you act early tomorrow.

Price & McNeal
FURNITURE——RUGS

County Warrants Called

NOTICE is hereby given that interest will cease April 30, 1917, on all protested County Warrants issued prior to December 5, 1916. Parties holding these warrants will please present same for payment at once.

JAMES W. BLAGG,
Nodaway County Treasurer

We Invite You

We believe business goes where it is invited. We also think people like to be asked for their business.

This bank wants your business, because we believe in progress and growth and are frank in saying, the way to get it, is to go after it.

By giving you unusual facilities and the kind of service that will fit your individual needs, we feel sure we will merit all or a part of your business, and have no hesitancy in asking you for it.

Farmers Trust Co.
Capital - $200,000.00

HOW ABOUT
that Suit
FOR WARM WEATHER?
Order yours now
DIETZ & KECK
MERCHANT TAILORS

WATCH YOUR EYE-SIGHT

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS
222 N. Main Street.

DANISH WOMAN REGAINS HEALTH

Tells Everybody What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Her.

Chicago, Ill.—"It gives me great pleasure to let others know that I improved in health with the first bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; after taking two bottles I am entirely well. Before taking it I could not do any kind of work without a pain in my back as I suffered so much from inflammation. I had headaches, was always tired and no appetite. Words cannot express my gratitude for the good your medicine has done me, and through me to my family. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all women suffering from female troubles, particularly to Danish women."—Mrs. META DAMGAARD-MATZAN, 2137 Kimball Ave., Chicago, Ill.

It is positively true that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

AT THE FOUNDRY they will pay you more for your iron and junk of all kinds than anybody. Iron weighed over city scales. 23-5

WE are prepared to make over all kinds of old mattresses like new. Also make folding porch swing pads. Sanitary Mattress Co., Hanamo 440, Farmers 251. 27-30*

BOARD and lodging by day or week. 128 South Main. T. C. Pope. 16-28*

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED!—Don't matter if broken. I pay one to ten dollars per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 2007 S. 5th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 14-27*

THE semi-annual rummage sale of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be held soon, place and date to be announced shortly. 26-28

WHY not have a good mattress made from your old feather beds, and have your pillows renovated. Sanitary Mattress Co., Hanamo 440, Farmers 251. 27-30*

FOUND—Brooch, four leaf clover design, embellished with horseshoe and swastika. Inquire this office. 26-28

AT THE FOUNDRY they will sharpen, adjust and make your old lawn mower cut like new. Bring it in. 23-5

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Mission library table. Mrs. N. F. Humber, Hanamo phone 4391. 27-30

FOR SALE—Pair good heavy 3-year old mules. Have few younger mules, would sell. J. J. Pyles, Far. 32-12. 25-27*

FOR SALE—8-room house, modern except heat, on paved street, excellent neighborhood. Cheap if taken at once. Leaving city. E. L. Andrews, 521 South Buchanan. Hanamo phone 3617. 27-30

FOR SALE — Pure bred Chester White fall gilts bred for August and September farrow. F. B. Goodspeed and Son. 19-2

FOR SALE—3-speed Indian motorcycle, with side car, electrically equipped, just overhauled. Snap for some one. Call Hanamo 530, or see Harold Staples. 26-28

FOR SALE—Gilt Edge Flour, $6.50 cwt.; Gold Leaf, $6.40 cwt.; for cash; this week only. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., Hanamo 110, Farmers 230 26-28

SEED CORN FOR SALE—Johnson Co. White and Leaming's Improved at $2.50 per bushel. Shows high test. Nubbed and shelled. J. L. Scott, 215 W. Seventh. Farmers phone 34-0-11. 26-28*

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Russell Saw Mill, 16-h. p., Altman & Taylor engine, No. 8 Bur and a 2-hole corn sheller. Prices reasonable. Enquire of George Alsbury, Conception Junction, Mo. 25-28

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, close to High school, lower floor, outside door. Call Farmers phone 61. 25-27*

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—A 9-room house, modern. Inquire Schumacher Grocery store. 25-27*

WANTED

LOST—Small embroidered baby buggy sofa pillow, India linen with white border. Call or leave at Democrat-Forum 25-27*

WANTED—Laborers at Townsend wholesale house, east of Electric Light plant, Monday morning. Frank Reynolds. 26-28

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

HAVE COLOR IN YOUR CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study with his patients.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

They start the bile and overcome constipation. That's why millions of boxes are sold annually at 10c and 25c per box. All druggists. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results.

Pickering Methodist Church Notes.

C. S. Dayhoff, pastor of the Methodist church at Pickering will preach at the Mozingo Valley church Sunday morning and at the Myrtle Tree church Sunday evening.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello, his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 22nd day of June 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, at Deed Book 124, page 97, conveyed to the undersigned, J. S. Shinabargar, all their right, title, interest and estate in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: The east one-half of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township Sixty-three (63), of Range Thirtyfour (34), which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid, now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee, will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door, in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expense of executing this trust.

J. S. SHINABARGAR, Trustee.
Dated this 23rd day of April, 1917.

Plant Out Now

Tuberose Bulbs, Caladium, Dahlia and Canna roots. Also Rhubarb and Asparagus roots for the vegetable garden.

We carry the best standard varieties at the most reasonable prices.

The Engelmann Greenhouses.
Phones, 17. 1001 S. Main St.

Closing Out Sale of Dairy Herd

On account of making change in my business, I will sell at the Burris farm, 2 miles south of Maryville, on—

Thursday, May 3, 1917

Commencing promptly at 1 o'clock—

30 HEAD OF EXTRA GOOD JERSEY COWS — These cows are all giving milk or will freshen soon.

15 HEAD OF CHOICE HEIFERS.

I have been for several years selecting this lot of cows, and you will sure be pleased with them, as they are as good a lot as can be found.

1 PAIR OF MARES 4 years old, broke, weight 2300.
Two sets of harness, two milk wagons, milk cans, etc.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

J. RICKMAN

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 27.— WHEAT — May, $2.77; July, $2.21⅝.

CORN—May, $1.51¼; July, $1.44¾.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, April 27. — CATTLE—Receipts, 400; nothing fat.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500; top, $15.85; bulk $15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 27.—CATTLE— Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market, 5c higher; top, $16.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 13,000: market, steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 300; market, strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500; market, strong; top, $15.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; market, strong.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter Fat, per lb	36c
Eggs, per doz	27c
Hens, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Roosters, per lb	10c

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine — double strength — from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

WANTED

Bring them in or phone me. I will call and buy or invoice them.

Show Me—I Have No Agents

Maryville Every Saturday
JIM ANDY FORD
Hanamo 31, Farmers 161

THE VERY BEST TIME to take Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is *now*, if you feel that your blood is out of order. Don't wait until you have to *cure* disease; it's easier and better to *prevent* it.

With the first blotches or eruption, or the dullness, weariness, and depression that are some of the symptoms, you need this medicine. It will rouse every organ into healthy action, thoroughly cleanse and repair your system, and build up needed flesh, health, and strength. It's the only reliable blood remedy. In the most stubborn Skin or Scalp affections; in the worst forms of Scrofula; in *every* disease caused by a torpid liver or impure blood—it never fails to benefit or cure.

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Most people neglect themselves. To clean the system take a pleasant laxative, such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. For sale by druggists—25 cents a vial.

Sudden Death

Before an insurance company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test your water and report whether you are a good risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout, or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night—take heed, before too late!

You can readily overcome such conditions and prolong life by taking the advice of a famous physician, which is: "Keep the kidneys in good order, avoid too much meat, salt, alcohol or tea. Drink plenty of pure water and drive the uric acid out of the system by taking Anuric, in tablet form." You can obtain Anuric at drug stores, the discovery of Dr. Pierce of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo.

Bought Fine Poland-Chinas.

B. B. Staples went to Badger, Ia., Thursday and bought two fine Poland-China male hogs of A. A. Cantland, the famous breeder of the big Poland-Chinas. The hogs were received in Burlington Junction Tuesday afternoon by express, and attracted considerable attention. The larger one weighs 850 pounds and is but 2 years old. He is one of the best animals that has ever been brought to this county. The smaller is a September pig and is also of excellent breeding.—Burlington Junction Post.

Track Meet at B. J.

A track meet of the pupils of both the rural and town schools of Nodaway, Lincoln, Green and Atchison townships, excepting the high schools, will be held in Burlington Junction on Saturday afternoon, May 5. Supt. D. V. Culp is working with a committee composed of Horace S. Weaver, Lon Monk and J. E. Courter, to make the necessary arrangements.

Fred Lewis, who is teaching school in Chillicothe, is visiting over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis.

Eyes Tested Free

Can we Help Your Eyes?

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Sold Eggs For $4,158.

E. D. Wedge, manager of the Norris produce company of Burlington Junction, sold a car load of eggs Friday for $4,158. He sold another load, lighter in weight Saturday. Two loads of eggs in two days gives one an idea of the importance of the poultry industry in Northwest Missouri.—Burlington Junction Post.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 25th day of September, 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county, at Deed Book 124, page 142, conveyed to the undersigned, E. F. Wolfert, all their right, title, interest and estate, in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: All of the southwest one-fourth (¼) and all that part of the southwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) lying west of Platte River all in Section Thirty-three (33), Township Sixty-three (63), Range Thirtyfour (34), containing 183 acres more or less; also north one-half (½), of northeast quarter (¼), of the northeast quarter (¼) of Section Six (6), Township Sixty-two (62), of Range Thirty-four (34), containing 20 acres more or less; which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

E. F. WOLFERT, Trustee.
Dated this 21st day of April, 1917.

A MEXICAN BAD MAN

Sancho, a Prominent Figure in "The Red Woman," Which is Produced at the Empire Theatre Tonight.

A Mexican bad man, who is bad clear through, figures prominently in "The Red Woman," the startling and sensational World Picture Brady-made which will be shown at the Empire theatre tonight His name is Sancho and when he covets the beautiful Marie for his wife, he leaves no stone unturned to get her. He fights with the white man who has fallen in love with her and he practices deceit at a critical point in her career. But his efforts to gain the girl and put the white man down and out, prove to be unavailing. The white man though laboring under a heavy burden, finally wins out Miss Gail Kane is starred in this thrilling production and she is supported by a particularly able cast.

Kramer's Cream Gives Satisfaction.

Mrs. Ben Chandler and Mrs. Fay Bellows went to Kansas City yesterday.

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ANDERSON CRAIG DIES SUDDENLY

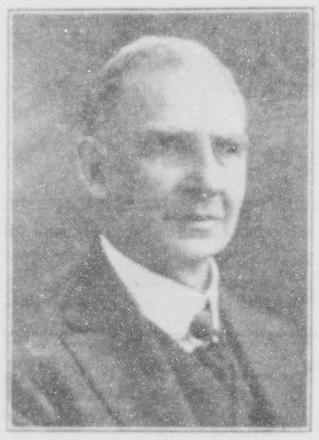
SUCCUMBS TO HEART TROUBLE, FOLLOWING ACUTE INDIGESTION

NODAWAY RESIDENT FOR FORTY-SIX YEARS

State Senator For Four Years and Active in Social and Religious Life of Nodaway County.

Senator Anderson Craig died suddenly at his home at 7 o'clock last night of heart trouble caused by an attack of acute indigestion. He had been working on his farm, about two miles northeast of Maryville and at 11 o'clock returned home complaining of illness. At noon Dr. H. S. Rowlett was called and after his visit Senator Craig seemed to rest easier. A second attack occurring about 6:30 o'clock in the evening resulted in his death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Bap-



SENATOR ANDERSON CRAIG.

tist church, conducted by the Rev. T H. Wiles. Burial will be in the Miriam cemetery.

Senator Craig, who was 65 years old, spent forty-six years of his life in Nodaway county and twenty-eight years of this time in Maryville. He was born in Gallatin county, Ky., June 23, 1851, and was the son of Judge Albert Gallatin Craig and Virginia Brooking Craig, both natives and residents during their entire lives of Kentucky. He was educated chiefly at Ghent College, Ghent, Ky., and after completing the course of study at that institution he became a student at Washington and Lee University, that renowned seat of learning located in Shenandoah Valley, Va. During his course at that university he had the rare privilege of being under the care and supervision until his death of the renowned leader, Gen. Robert E. Lee. Completing his course, Mr. Craig engaged in teaching near Ghent for a short time.

When 20 years old Mr. Craig came to Nodaway county and located in Hughes township on a 220-acre farm. On December 17, 1874 he married Miss Mary Still, the only daughter of James Moore Still and Mrs. R. M. Still, both natives of Virginia. The wedding took place at Eudora, Kan. Mrs. Craig and two children, Mrs. C. H. Coe, who lives at home with her parents, and Dr. Arthur Still Craig of Kansas City, survive him.

Mr. Craig is also survived by four brothers and one sister. They are Gallatin Craig, Nevada, Mo.; S. L. Craig, Springfield, Mo.; J. M. and Virginius Craig, both of Ghent, Ky., and Miss Laura B. Craig also of Ghent, Ky.

Since he first set foot on Nodaway county soil, Senator Craig's name has always been associated with every movement of a political, social or religious nature and his quality of leadership gave him a place of power and influence in the county.

He took a prominent part in politics and during the last campaign was an active supporter of Governor Gardner. Mr. Craig was probably closer to Governor Gardner than any other man in this part of the state. Mr. Craig was only recently appointed as a member of the state board of managers of the St. Joseph hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph by Governor Gardner and had attended only one meeting.

Senator Craig had held many important offices. He was elected state senator from this district in 1912 and served four years. He was known as one of the prominent senators during his term and advocated many measures of importance to the people. He became a candidate for congress before the last primary but withdrew from the race.

He was appointed by Governor Fo'k a member of the board of regents of the State Normal School here in December, 1908, and was president of the board. He was elected representative from this county in 1910, and served two years.

Senator Craig was one of the principal promoters and organizers of the Mutual Telephone system of which he was the first president. He also had been engaged in promoting the Drainage District company, the work having been just recently completed. Mr. Craig was the first president of the company.

To Mr. Craig and L. T. Lee, a neighbor farmer at that time, was due the credit of inaugurating a system of tile drainage by which bottom land lying along the 102 river hitherto useless has been brought into a state of high and profitable cultivation. For the promotion of this interest he established the first tiling factory ever built in Maryville.

Mr. Craig's activity in church circles was an important part in his career. At the time of his death he was chairman of the Board of the Baptist church Deacons. Two years ago he resigned as Sunday school superintendent after twenty years service to the church in that capacity. He was known among the members of the church as a liberal contributor not only of money, but of the spirit and energy which did so much to make the Baptist church work in Maryville a success.

100 AT K. C. MEETING

Entertainment Committee, Appointed by Grand Knight Ferritor, Furnishes Fine Program.

The Knights of Columbus held the first of their "get-together meetings" at their hall last night. E. L. Ferritor, grand knight of the local order appointed the following committee to furnish the entertainment for the evening, and 100 members from Maryville and near-by towns responded to the invitations.

A short program of music and speeches was held at the hall, after which a cafeteria luncheon was served at Edwards Cafe. James Cummins acted as toastmaster during the luncheon and speeches were given by the following knights: Maurice Conway and J. J. Tushaus of St. Joseph, Conrad Yehle, Nick Sturm, Francis Hunt, Charles Buhler, Ed Costello and Henry Heitman.

The out-of-town guests attending the meeting were: Maurice Conway, a district deputy of the Knights of Columbus from St. Joseph; J. J. Tushaus, St. Joseph; Will Cummins, Burlington Junction; Tom Mulholland, Christopher Cummins of Ford City; T. F. Merrigan, Clyde; Mr. Boedecker, Parnell, and Francis Hunt, St. Louis.

SIX ELMO GRADUATES

H. S. Commencement Exercises to be Held at Methodist Church Next Friday Night.

The commencement exercises for the 1917 graduating class of the Elmo High school will be given at the M. E. church, South, on Friday night, May 4, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The graduates are: Georgia Kinman, Grace Calfee, Mabel Colvin, Bernice Calfee, William McGinty, Marcus Dilley.

The commencement address will be by Dr. H. R. DeBra of Missouri Wesleyan College, at Cameron, Mo.

General Funston's Mother Dies.

Iola, Kan., April 27.—The mother of the late General Funston died over grief at her son's death, in Emporia, Kan., last night.

Fern—*Tonight*

"Liberty"

nineteenth episode

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JUPE PLUVIUS WINS

DELAYS HIGH SCHOOL TRACK MEET FOR ONE WEEK.

SEVERAL TEAMS ARRIVE

Attempt to Stage Postponed Event Will Be Made May 5 — Nearly All Athletes Will Come.

Score another knock-out for old "Jupe" Pluvius. With the track one big puddle of water and the icy blasts from the north sweeping down upon us, President Richardson of the Normal decided that this is no time for a track meet to be held. He accordingly called up all the schools entered in the meet and told them that the track meet was off for the time being.

There is much difference of opinion over the move, but it was probably the best thing to do, as the weather man predicts worse and more of it for tonight and Saturday.

The literary contests will be held tonight as previously scheduled, regardless of the weather. The baseball game with Tarkio, scheduled for this afternoon, has been indefinitely postponed.

Another attempt to stage the track meet will be made next Saturday, May 5. That date conflicts with the state meet at Columbia, but the authorities are of the opinion that the attendance at the Maryville meet will not be affected. President Richardson called all the schools this morning and asked if any of them intended to send teams to the state meet and only one responded in the affirmative. St. Joseph Central, which has heretofore always taken part in the meet at Columbia, declared in favor of the Maryville meet. Maitland will send one man to Columbia and the rest of the team to Maryville. All the other schools will probably send their teams here.

The greatest difficulty confronting those in charge of the meet here, is the question of what to do with the teams which have already arrived in town. Liberty, Breckenridge, and part of the Trenton bunch are here and one or two others are on the way. The other schools were notified of the change in date before their start.

The literary contests will be held in the Normal auditorium tonight. The attendance will probably be cut down due to the absence of the out-of-town contingents, but the contests will be of the highest class.

KANSAS AND HER CROPS

Will Use Every Means to Increase Its Harvest For the National Food Crisis.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 27.—Kansas will use every measure available to increase its crop. The Kansas Council of Defense plans to equip with powerful searchlights each of the 4,000 tractors, owned in that state, so they can be used by day or night to increase cultivation to meet the national food crisis. The plans have been outlined by H. J. Waters, dean of the Kansas State College of Agriculture and a member of the council.

In addition, co-operative labor gangs will be organized so that the work may not halt.

The problem is to get the abandoned wheat acreage planted to grain sorghum, to put the crop in pit silos, where it will be in the best shape to make milk and wheat, and to get the land cleared in time for fall wheat sowing.

FEDERATES KING CITY CLUB.

Mrs. M. G. Tate, President of District Busy Visiting District Clubs.

Mrs. M. G. Tate, president of the District Federation of Women's clubs, returned yesterday from Rosendale, where she was a guest of the Rosendale Study club.

Monday Mrs. Tate was in King City where she assisted in the federation of the King City Study club with the district organization. Mrs. Tate's plans on visiting a number of district clubs in the near future.

Rainfall is 1.13 Inches.

The weather predictions for today and tomorrow indicate that rain or snow will be in order. Up until 7 o'clock this morning .93 of an inch had fallen and until noon today the rainfall was 1.13 inches. Rain in the east and rain or snow in the west tonight and Saturday with colder weather is what the St. Joseph forecast has to offer.

MRS. WRIGHT DIES

CANCER OF STOMACH FATAL TO MARYVILLE WOMAN.

SHE WAS 42 YEARS OLD

Funeral Services Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon at the First M. E. Church, Rev. Cox Officiating.

Mrs. Lena J. Wright, wife of H. E. Wright, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning, after a three weeks' illness caused by cancer of the stomach. Mrs. Wright had not been well for some time, but was able to do her work until about three weeks ago. A trip to Rochester, Minn., was made by Mr. and Mrs. Wright last week, but the doctors gave Mrs. Wright no hope. She grew worse steadily after her return to Maryville.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church, the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox officiating. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Wright, whose birthplace is Maryville, celebrated her forty-second birthday last Saturday. With her parents, she moved to Grant City when six months old and grew to womanhood in that town. On August 24, 1896 she was married to Henry Wright and is survived by her husband and one daughter, Miss Lucile Wright, who lives at home.

Mrs. Wright is also survived by her sister, Mrs. Charles Edlund, Inwood, Ia.; her brother, John Jamison of Grant City, and her mother, Mrs. Florence Houser, also of Grant City. Her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Mattison of Grant City, is here to attend the funeral. Mrs. Fred Hull, Maryville, is her cousin.

Mrs. Wright was a devoted member of the First M. E. church and was an active member in the various church organizations. She was a member of the Royal Neighbors of America at Parnell.

EDITORS' MEETING OFF

Postponed On Account of Rain and Track Meet—Some of the Visitors Entertained at Luncheon.

A conference with the editors and newspaper representatives, who arrived on the noon train for the purpose of attending the Northwest Missouri Press association meeting resulted in the postponement of the social meeting which was to be held in Maryville beginning this evening and lasting until tomorrow night. The editors who planned on arriving this evening were telephoned not to come.

The cause of the postponement was the rain and also the postponement of the track meet which was to be a part of the afternoon's entertainment.

The following were entertained with a luncheon at the Bainum Hotel at noon today: W. D. Meng, special writer for the Kansas City Star; Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Ives of Dearborn, owners of the Dearborn Democrat; Fred R. Barkhurst and Miss Mabel T. Crane of the St. Joseph Gazette; J. P. Tucker of Parkville and A. C. Bush of Kansas City, representing the Western Newspaper Union.

EDITOR'S FATHER DIES

J. M. Hildebrant, 75 Years Old Passes Away at Home in Guilford—Funeral Sunday.

J. M. Hildebrant, 75 years old, died at 9:30 o'clock this morning at Guilford, following a six weeks' illness of heart trouble.

Mr. Hildebrant is survived by one son, Herbert Hildebrant editor of the Guilford Times, with whom he made his home and by one brother and one sister.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the residence, conducted by the Rev. O. E. Lockart, pastor of the Methodist church. Burial will be in the Graves cemetery.

Mr. Hildebrant has made his home at Guilford for about thirty years.

Earthquake in Central Italy.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Rome, April 27.—Many persons have been killed in an earthquake in Central Italy. The shock centered in Tuscany and Umbria, but the greatest damage was done in the vicinity of Arezzo.

Mrs. R. E. Thomas and daughter, Miss Verna, went to St. Joseph yesterday on business.

UNCLE SAM'S FIRST TASK.

—Goldsmith in Boston Globe.

CONTESTANTS HERE

LITERARY CONTEST WILL BE HELD AT NORMAL TONIGHT.

JUDGES ARE SELECTED

Sixteen Contestants Will Try For Speaking Honors — Four Contestants in Song Finals.

The literary contest under the auspices of the Northwest Missouri High School association will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the Normal auditorium according to schedule. All of the contestants will be in Maryville by this evening and superintendents and students of the various high schools are looking forward to an exceptionally interesting event.

Miss Jessie Parcher and the Rev. S. A. Colle have been chosen to judge the declamatory, oritorical and extemporaneous speaking contests and Prof. P. O. Landon, Miss Jennie Garrett and the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will judge the song contest. Another judge for the speaking contests will be selected.

The program will be given as follows:

Boys' declamatory—
1. John Holden, Gilman City.
2. Mr. Trapp, St. Joseph.
3. Harry Sullivan, Excelsior Springs
4. Derril Gross, Breckenridge.

Music—Trenton Octette.

Girls' declamation—
1. Blanche Silvers, Kansas City.
2. Mary Flack, Excelsior Springs.
3. Erma Greene, Maryville.
4. Helen Lee Winters, Chillicothe.

Music—Liberty, solo.

Boys' extemporaneous—
1. Lloyd Vance, Trenton.
2. Elwyn Cady, Chillicothe.
3. Otto Modeer St. Joseph.
4. Roland Raines, Tarkio.

Girls' extemporaneous—
1. Hugh Butterfield, Excelsior Spgs.
2. Elizabeth Redmond, Chillicothe.
3. Ruth Levine, St. Joseph.
4. Mary White, Albany.

Music—The St. Joseph quartette.

FOOD MAY BE SCARCER

Americans Will Find Themselves Going to Market With Food Cards If the Scarcity Continues.

Washington, April 27. — Food still continues to grow scarcer and Americans may find themselves going to market with food cards and getting just enough flour and potatoes to satisfy the normal appetite.

Economists, appearing before the senate agricultural committee in its daily food conferences, have already begun to suggest the necessity of such measures.

Misses Mattie Grove and Wardie Wilson of Hardin, arrived in Maryville today noon for a several days' visit with Miss Virginia Lawson and other friends.

PREPARING TO VOTE

SCORES OF SENATORS WANT TO SPEAK ON CONSCRIPTION.

KAHN FIRES BROADSIDE

Arraigns Volunteer System in Terms That Bring Applause From All Sides of the House.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 27.—The administration's final broadside for conscription was fired in the house today by Kahn, of California, a Republican. While praising the volunteers themselves Kahn arraigned the volunteer system itself in terms that brought applause from both sides of the house.

Will Register Views.

Washington, April 27.—With only two days remaining for the debate on the selective draft in the senate, a score of senators today registered themselves on the speaking list to record their views before the measure goes to a vote at midnight tomorrow night. The senate has made preparations to stay in session continuously until the vote is taken if necessary.

Progress In Conferences.

Washington, April 27. — Material progress has already been made in the informal conferences now going on between the members of the International war commission and the American officials. A statement to this effect was made today. In fact so much progress was made that Balfour locked himself up in his study to take the first rest of his visit.

Sunday's Band Program

March—"Semper Fidelis," Sousa.

Medley Overture No. 1 — "Feist Bright Lights," Glogan.

Fox Trot—"You'd Never Know that Old Home Town of Mine," Grooms.

Violin Solo — "Selected," by Ralph Yehle.

Waltz — "Wedding of the Winds," Hall.

"Facination Intermezzo," Althouse.

Song—"America, I Love You," by ten little girls.

"American Patrol," Mecham.

March—"Pasadena Bay," Mondrone.

Denver, April 27.—One hundred and twenty men are reported trapped in a coal mine near Trinidad. No details are available.

HAIG'S BRITAINS MAKE NEW GAINS

POUNDING WHOLE LINE OF IMPORTANT POSITIONS NEAR ARRAS

GERMANS MAY HAVE TO RETIRE FURTHER

Are Unable to Stave Off the Constantly Growing Pressure of the British Troops.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 27.—Field Marshall Haig's British army in France is again pounding at the whole line of important German positions between Gavrette and Roux, near Arras. The Cambrai road has been captured, the war office announced today. The Teutons have massed an enormous number of reserves in this region for the protection of the Drocourt-Weauant line, the sole remaining auxiliary to the northern end of the Hindenburg line. Fighting marked by the utmost violence is being carried on near Hargicourt. The fortified stone quarries in this section were captured by the British in a storm of attacks.

London, April 27.—The further retirement of three miles for the German armies, east of Arras, was imminent today unless they could stave off the constantly growing pressure of the British. The desperation of the German situation on that front has been seen in the furious counter attacks of the Teutons during the last forty-eight hours.

Battle South of Riga.

Petrograd, April 27.—A mighty battle with artillery developed on the Western front south of Riga, the war office announced. The Germans have been reinforced in that sector, and the dispatch from headquarters indicates that the Teutons have either started a big offensive or are planning to do so immediately.

Turkish Retreat Spreads.

London, April 27.—The Turkish retreat in Mesopotamia now extends north of Samarra, according to the official report.

French Resume Drive.

Paris, April 27.—After a brief lull the French resumed their drive to Champagne, it was announced today.

ANOTHER GERMAN RAID

Teuton Warships Bombard English Coast South of Thames — Two Persons Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 27.—German war ships have again raided the British coast. The official announcement of the attack was made by the British admiralty today. The coast was bombarded south of the Thames river. Twenty houses were destroyed or damaged, two persons were killed and others were wounded at Ramsgate. The British destroyers gave battle, and the German warships fled.

VILLA MAKES CAPTURE.

El Paso, April 27.—The capture by Villa of two Carranza troop trains was admitted today by the officers attached to the forces of General Murguia.

A. R. Harper of Stanberry is in Maryville on business.

THE WEATHER.

Rain tonight and Saturday; colder tonight southwest portion and south portion Saturday.

Feature Tonight

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Guests of Mr. Haines.

Mrs. Walter G. Hardisty and two small sons, Homer and Henry of Akron, O., and Mrs. J. A. Krontz of Canal Dover, O., will arrive in Maryville at noon today and will visit this afternoon with their brother, Harvey L. Haines. Mrs. Hardisty and Mrs. Krontz are just returning from Sabetha, Kan., where they helped to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary last Tuesday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Haines.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night in "Fanchon the Cricket." Empire Theatre

Leaves for St. Joseph.

W. J. Osburn left today for St. Joseph, where he will meet Mrs. Osburn, who is returning from Morrisville, where she was called on account of the serious illness of her aunt.

Which costs most—painting or waiting?

After your house needs painting, every year you wait it will require more paint and more labor to put it in good condition. And every year you wait, your house is worth less. A little paint-money is good paint-insurance.

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KOCH PHARMACY

Maryville, Missouri

Band Employs Instructor.

The Barnard Booster Band has employed a capable instructor and will go ahead with their band work harder than ever. Prof. T. B. Maulding, chief musician of the Fourth Missouri regimental band will come down from Maryville once every week and give the boys private lessons and band rehearsals. The band was unfortunate in losing Prof. O'Hanlon but are even more fortunate in securing the services of such an experienced teacher as Professor Maulding. There will be a concert on the streets Saturday night if the weather is favorable.

Prof. Pierce Re-elected.

The school board met last week and tendered the teachers positions to each of last year's teachers. Prof. J. W. Pierce was tendered his position again at a salary of $1,000, an increase of $100 a year. We understand that he has accepted the place. Up to the time of going to press, none of the other teachers have signed up.—Barnard Bulletin.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night at Empire.

Mr. Sturm Returns.

Nick Sturm, who has been visiting for the last week with his son, Edward, of Oklahoma City, returned yesterday to his home. Mrs. Sturm and Miss Clara will visit for a few days with relatives in Kansas City before returning to Maryville.

Twenty-five Hogs Poisoned.

Rich Hill Mo., April 27.—Twenty-five head of fine hogs, valued at $800 died here from eating cockleburrs and the sprouts, which caused poisoning. A farmer near Hume, is also reported to have lost 17 head of hogs from the same cause.

Will Join U. S. Navy.

Marion Owens the 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Owens of Skidmore, enlisted with the United States Navy yesterday in Kansas City. Mrs. Owens and Mrs. Fred Kellogg, mother and sister of the young man left this morning for Kansas City, where they will spend a few days with him. Mr. Owens will probably go as a musician.

Anthony Felix of Clyde is in Maryville today on business.

Don't forget May morning breakfast Christian church. 27-30

WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!

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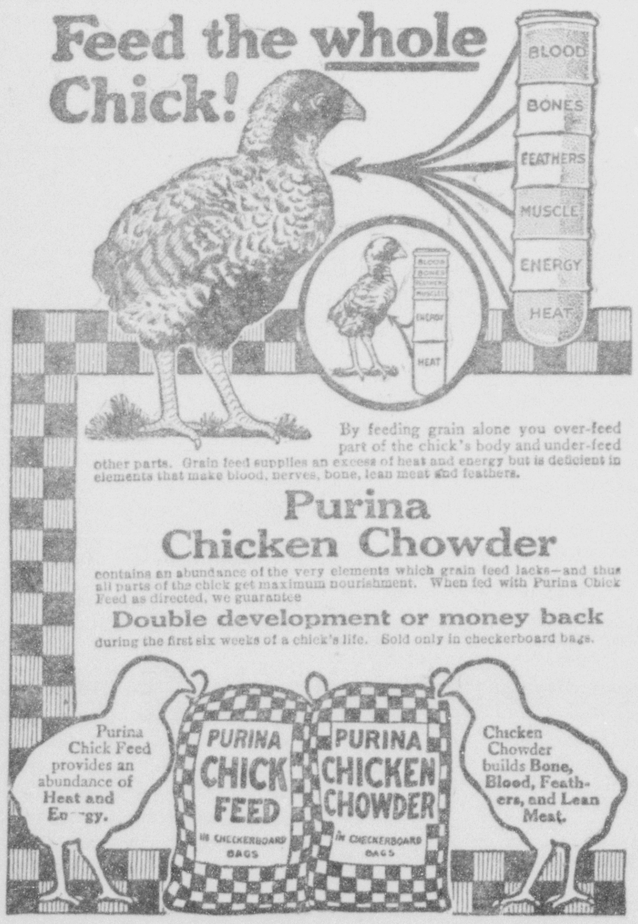
Feed the whole Chick!



By feeding grain alone you over-feed part of the chick's body and under-feed other parts. Grain feed supplies an excess of heat and energy but is deficient in elements that make blood, nerves, bone, lean meat and feathers.

Purina Chicken Chowder

contains an abundance of the very elements which grain feed lacks—and thus all parts of the chick get maximum nourishment. When fed with Purina Chick Feed as directed, we guarantee

Double development or money back

during the first six weeks of a chick's life. Sold only in checkerboard bags.

Purina Chick Feed provides an abundance of Heat and Energy.
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IN CHECKERBOARD BAGS
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IN CHECKERBOARD BAGS
Chicken Chowder builds Bone, Blood, Feathers, and Lean Meat.

For Sale by MARYVILLE FEED & MILLING CO.

CORN TO REPLACE WHEAT

Dean Mumford of College of Agriculture Says That Farmers Must Plant Excess Crops of This Grain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Columbia, Mo., April 27.—Corn must make up for the shortage in wheat and other grain crops, according to Dean F. B. Mumford of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri.

The United States purchased in 1917 ten bushels of wheat per capita," said Dean Mumford. "In 1916 we produced only six bushels per capita. In 1916 we consumed for seed and ordinary consumption and six and one-third bushels per capita. There was exported from American ports in 1916 two and one-half bushels per capita. Recent estimates of the world crop indicate that there is a world shortage in the present wheat harvest of nearly 300,000,000 bushels.

"The present condition of wheat is 62 per cent of normal. Compared with a ten-year average, it is 18 per cent normal."

WOMEN WILL GO TO FARMS.

Gardening, Poultry Raising, and Stock Raising Engages Their Interest.

Columbia, Mo., April 27.—Men will not be alone in the back-to-the-farm movement to increase the productiveness of the state. Approximately ten women of the University of Missouri have been granted excuses from that institution with full credit to take up work on Missouri farms.

Poultry raising and gardening are the principal vocations which the women will follow, but one has made a more pretentious choice — stock raising and general farming. The majority of the women excused will go to the farms operated by their parents. Several, however, will work independently.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night at Empire.

PLANT GOOD SEED.

In this day of the high prices for all farm products the value of good seed is being especially emphasized and the science of seed selection and testing is urged upon the farmers of the country from many sources. It would seem that this course would need no urging in this day and generation as the value of good seed has been understood by agriculturalists for hundreds of years. Cato, in the days of ancient Rome, wrote: "Seed should be examined to ascertain that it is not sterile by age, that it is clean and particularly that it is not adulterated with other varieties of similar appearance." This latter is something which is all too frequently done by unscrupulous sellers. In this section, where it is particularly desirous that seed raised here should be planted, there is room for many farmers who will give their time and attention to raising seed which will be true to name and type, from prolific strains and of assured fertility.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night in "Fanchon the Cricket." Empire Theatre

Miss Vida Young Home.

Miss Vida Young, who has been taking treatment at the Mayo hospital in Rochester, Minn., for some time following an operation, was able to return to the home of her parents at the Mineral Springs Sunday. She was accompanied here by her aunt, Mrs. Markley, who assisted in caring for her at Rochester. Miss Vida can walk a little now without the assistance of crutches, but it will be some time before she fully recovers her strength. The operation affected a cure that is almost marvelous, and the family and friends of Miss Young rejoice with her in its success.—Burlington Junction Post.

TO MAKE DEMURRAGE UNIFORM

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 27.—An agreement whereby demurrage charges may be made uniform throughout the country and the charge made double the former rate was reached by the railroads and shippers today.

There will be five good, fresh cows to sell at the Coleman sale Saturday 27*

MISSOURI SPIRIT.

There is an air of get-together—
In Missouri.
Happy hearts and balmy weather—
In Missouri.
Miles and miles and miles and miles
Of delightful sunny smiles,
That the stranger's heart beguiles—
In Missouri.

Bouquet for Mr. Hakel.

Fred Lewis Hakel, the violinist gave a program at the Lucile Theatre on Friday night of last week. He is a good one, and lovers of good music need not be disappointed should he come again.—Elmo Register.

Mary Pickford tomorrow night in "Fanchon the Cricket." Empire Theatre

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

Getting All there Is in Tires

It is often stated that you can only get out of tires what is put into them. This is a statement with which we heartily agree. It is one which we have been preaching for some time. Yet, some manufacturers build a cheap so-called "standard tire" and spend millions in advertising it and after such enormous expense and such low price, where is there any chance for "Quality?"

Good rubber and good fabric costs money and where such material is used your tire will cost more money but you will get it back many times in excess milage.

Did you ever see an ad in any national magazine about MOHAWK tires? You did not. They put this money into their tire. Also some dealers try to impress upon buyers the weight of their tire against others, to prove their quality.

We say—and will prove to you—that pure rubber is as light as cork. It will float on water.

The MOHAWK tire is one of the lightest tires on the market for weight, yet it has one more ply of fabric and a thicker tread than most tires.

Don't forget that compound weighs more than PURE RUBBER.

We are th exclusive distributors of MOHAWK tires for Nodaway county. We are also the exclusive dealers for FISK tires in Maryville. The FISK tire is well known and we consider it one of the best popular priced tires sold.

SHOULD EITHER OF THE ABOVE TIRES PROVE UNSATISFACTORY, WE MAKE OUR OWN ADJUSTMENTS. IF YOU HAVE ONE OF EITHER MAKE WHICH IS NOT RIGHT NO MATTER WHERE YOU BOUGHT IT, BRING IT TO US AND WE WILL MAKE IT RIGHT. YOU WON'T HAVE TO WAIT A WEEK EITHER.

Maryville Tire & Rubber Co.

414 North Main Street—One-half block North of the Square.
Phones—Hanamo, 34; Farmers, 248.

Marion Smith, Truck Gardener.

Marion F. Smith, subscription man for the Democrat-Forum, has leased eight acres of ground on the Pete Meyer farm and will have a truck garden for the summer. He will specialize in the raising of corn and potatoes. He will still take subscriptions for magazines and papers.

Don't forget May morning breakfast Christian church. 27-30

Selects Co-Workers.

Carl Wray, who was appointed representative of Washington township for the encouragement of crop and all food supplies, has selected E. E. Carver and Ollie Davis as co-workers in this movement.

Guests at Rickenbrode's.

Mrs. Barney Minteer and daughter of Chillicothe, Mo., arrived in the city yesterday to spend the week end in Maryville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

If You Suffer From Catarrh

don't make the fatal mistake of regarding it as a trifling matter. Authorities agree that Catarrh is an infection of the blood. Consequently, sprays, salves and lotions can afford only temporary relief, because they do not reach the source of the disease,—the blood. When you depend on these temporary remedies alone your case is likely to grow steadily worse until it becomes chronic and possibly affects the lungs.

But even if the infection does not go this far, the continuous dripping of mucous in the throat, the constant spitting and hawking and evil odor of the breath will not only cause misery to you, but will make your presence obnoxious to others. S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years, will relieve your catarrh, because it will purify your blood and relieve it of the accumulated poisons. S. S. S. contains no mineral or habit-forming drugs. S. S. S. is on sale at all druggists and the advice of our medical department is at your disposal, free of charge. Swift Specific Co., 302 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

Universal Service

For several years I have tried to make my Photographic service worth while to the public in general.

The demand for a service is a good index to the approval of it by the public.

The fact that the demand for my services reached 50,000 pictures last year, is a most substantial stamp of approval.

By study and practice I have equipped myself for all general exterior or interior photography. MY STUDIO IS AS NEAR AS YOUR PHONE.

As to the Kodak department of my business, I have made my services more far-reaching still.

I furnish kodaks for your use free of charge. I furnish films at wholesale prices. If you prefer to buy a kodak, I quote you a money-saving price.

My kodak in formation service is based on a study of the mistakes of hundreds of kodak users. It's free to all. It's useful — USE IT.

CARPENTER—*Phone 466*

or at the Bee Hive Shoe Store

A Home

Is a house plus cheer and comfort. Why not make a Home of your house when it can be accomplished at little cost by installing

Electric Service

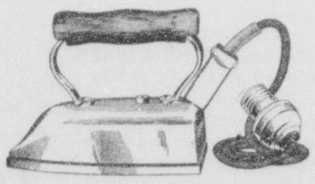
Which gives you cheer and comfort and an atmosphere of repose and refinement.

A Five-Room House—

Can be cheerfully lighted for $16.50 — larger houses in proportion.

Let Us Help You Plan and Give You the Benefit of Our Experience.

An Electric Iron and Ironing Board FREE During the "WIRE YOUR HOME TIME" we will give FREE with every home wired, a standard Electric Iron and an Ironing Board. You cannot afford to pass up this special offer.



Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Empire Theatre Building, Maryville, Mo. Phone 21

Saucy New Pumps that Throb with Style

The Sprightliest, best-fitting Spring Footwear we've ever shown

—*Neat—Attractive—Perfect-fitting*
—*Because J & K Brand*

Your size and width, of course—a novelty that will please you through and through

Montgomery Shoe Company

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42. Farmers phone 114

Call Miss Schenck.

All families having children under school age, whose names have not been given in through the school children, may telephone Miss Kate Schenck so that they may receive a flag tomorrow, which is flag day and also the beginning of Baby Week.

Smith's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith and daughter, Miss Flossie, entertained at dinner at their home, ten miles northwest of Maryville, Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tanner and daughter, Lucille, Mrs. J. W. Tanner, Misses Lizzie Tanner, Minnie and Opal Wagner, and Earl Petty, Oda Petty, Fred Wyatt, and Jesse Tanner.

Mrs. Cummins, Hostess.

The W. C. I. club met with Mrs. Emmett Cummins Thursday afternoon. The meeting was of a social nature and all present enjoyed the occasion very much. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held May 4, at the home of Mrs. Ben Booher.—Burlington Junction Post.

Miss Nelle Alkire Married.

Miss Nelle Alkire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire of Maryville, and Joseph Saunders also of Maryville were married at 11 o'clock yesterday in St. Joseph, the Rev. M. Goode pastor of the Christian church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders went on to Kansas City and from there they will go to other western points for a short visit before returning to Maryville. They will make their home on a farm, east of Maryville.

Party at Staples Home.

A number of young people enjoyed a very pleasant evening at Riverside farm, the country home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Staples, last Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing games. The young men's sewing contest caused much amusement. Music also aided in making the evening a pleasant one. Those present were. Misses Mary Springer, Okalia and Edna Suttle, Bernice Headrick, Ethel Folden, Esther and Lucy Palmer, Gertrude Walker; Messrs. Garland, Headrick, Ralph Folden, Chris Springer, Virgil Hagey, Stanley Houston, Chas. Carter, Earl Dale, Alfred Crane, Alvin Kingery, Merle Johnson, Melvin Jones, Harold Staples, Mr. and Mrs. Staples and the hostesses Misses Anna Crane and Margaret Parker.—Burlington Junction Post.

Tourist Department to Have Movie Matinee.

A movie matinee at the Empire on the afternoon of May 15, at which will be shown a four-reel picture of Siberia will conclude the year's study of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club.

The picture is obtained from the Pathe educational series and will be a comprehensive showing of the points of interest of Siberia and her people. Miss Lucie B. Davis will give a talk on the country preceding and while the picture is being shown. The department has been studying Russia during the winter meetings and the season has been one of unusual benefit.

The picture will be shown at the ordinary movie price and anyone caring to attend can do so.

Parnell Play Brings $81.80.

The play "Farm Folks," recently put on at the Parnell opera house netted the sum of $81.80 and the proceeds will be used for park and cemetery fund of that town. The play was under the auspices of the Willing Workers, an organization in Parnell for civic improvement.

The cast of characters were: Philip Burleigh, a young man from New York, Virgil Spoonemore; Dave Weston, a young farmer, Chester Winmiller; Amos Goodwin, owner of Silverbrook farm, Noble Klaas; Bijah Finn, jack-of-all-trades, Roscoe Reeves; Thompson, servant at the Burleigh residence, Forbes Starr; Flora Goodwin, "only a country girl," Lena Foland; Sarah Goodwin, wife of Amos, Zoa Dinsmore; Mrs. Burleigh, Philip's mother, Bessie Stoner; Grace Burleigh, his sister, Matie Evans; Mrs. Peasely, "who never has a minute to spare," Irene Klaas; Delia Slocum, hired girl at the farm, Rosetta Klaas.

Mrs. E. J. Klaas was director and was assisted by Mrs. Charles Evans.

For Miss Margaret Hosmer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at their home on West Third street, the occasion being the eleventh birthday anniversary of their daughter, Margaret Louise. Spring flowers decorated the table, which was also centered with a beautiful birthday cake lighted with eleven pink candles. The place cards, celluloid birds to represent the Kantucky Cardinals were placed on a goblet at each place with a tiny gilt edge card with the name of the guest on it. The guests present were. Prof. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Miss Bertha Northcutt, Miss Cora Gehr, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Miss Lois Farmer, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink.

Wray's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wray of Pickering entertained the business men the members of the school board and the town board at a two-course luncheon last night at their home. Miss Gertrude Wray and Omer Strong delighted the guests with music. Following the luncheon Mr. Wray gave a talk, in which he told his guests that he was leaving Pickering and moving to Stanberry where he had purchased a furniture store. Following Mr. Wray's talk, the Rev. Mr. Hutchison told of their regret in losing Mr. Wray. The Rev. C. S. Dayhoff with an appropriate talk presented Mr. Wray with a bible as a parting gift. Those present were: W. C. Alexander, Harry Porterfield, C. C. Wilson, H. H. Wagner, Joe C. Shuff, Floyd Alexander, Lon Fine, Marvin Hall, W. M. Fine, Ed Herbert, W. R. McKee, Gordon Swinford, C. G. McMillen, Ed Bratcher, Roy Wolfers, Rev. C. S. Dayhoff, Rev. Mr. Hutchison, O. G. Null, W. C. Smith, Dr. Lafe Heryford, Dr. E. L. Crowson, C. E. Wolfers, John Williams, Omer Strong, Charles Garten, Pat Scott, L. L. Hood, Frank Wallis, W. E. Johnson, J. W. Riley, John Young.

Missionary Society Postponed.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church which was to have met this afternoon has been postponed on account of the death of Mrs. H. E. Wright.

Odd Fellows' Anniversary.

The Odd Fellows lodge of Parnell celebrated their ninety-eighth anniversary last night. Rev. J. E. Kemper opened the meeting with a talk. Afterward all present sang "America." Miss Lucile Collins delighted the guests with a reading. Hon. L. J. Eastin of St. Joseph and Mrs. Mamie Stewart Hartley of Kansas City each gave a talk. The members of the Rebekah drill team gave a drill. About seventy-five persons were present.

PEACE DISTURBANCE CHARGED.

Three Conception Junction Men Must Answer Charges at Next Term.

Tom Egan, John Egan, and John Morrissey of Conception Junction, were arrested yesterday by Sheriff Dowden on a charge of disturbing the peace of James Heekin. Each one of them gave bail in the sum of $200 and was bound over to the next term of court. These three men were arrested by Conception Junction on the same charge and were fined $5 each. The defendants just recently appealed their case to circuit court.

Bobbie Wright Operated On.

Bobbie Wright the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Pavenwood underwent an operation at the St. Francis hospital this morning, and had his tonsils removed.

Miss Marie Livasy began work this morning at the Alderman-Yehle Dry Good store. Miss Livasy is taking the place of Miss Neva Key, who will teach music in Barnard.

The record number of cases of eggs for the month of April so far shipped out of Guilford were sent last Tuesday, when 148 cases were shipped.

Skidmore School Population 158.

The school enumeration for the school district of Skidmore was completed this week by F. H. Barrett and there are seventy-nine females and seventy-nine males, a total of 158 of school age in this district.

John Mutz is ill at his home of the grippe.

Kramer's Cream gives satisfaction.

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

The boy's favorite
It's Easiest!
10¢ BLACK WHITE TAN 10¢
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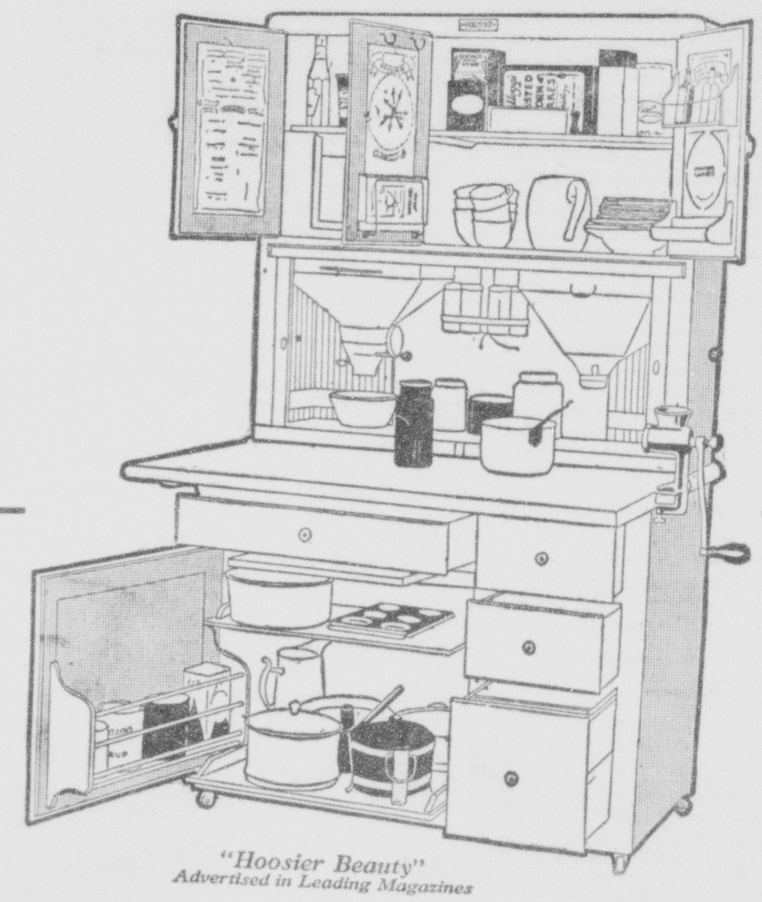

"Hoosier Beauty"
Advertised in Leading Magazines

The End of a Great Offe!r

Hoosier Sale Ends Tomorrow

Will you decide now to come down tomorrow and settle the matter once for all, or will you let tomorrow drift by—and then realize that you are too late to decide, because of the close of the HOOSIER PLAN OF SALE?

Scores of other women are in your state of mind. They are reading this final call tonight. And many who have postponed as you have are making up their minds tonight to come down tomorrow for a final decision.

A choice still remains between Hoosier Beauty (selected by 3 out of 4 women) and the Hoosier Wonder. but the numbers are few and you cannot hope to to get one if you delay. You incur no obligation by coming, so let other matters wait tomorrow while you settle this important question.

You could scarcely imagine a decision of more importance to you. For the new Hoosier is a wonderful lobor-saver--already used by 1,000,000 women. It saves miles of steps and hours of valuable time. It saves health and good looks. It is low in price—and on the liberal terms of the Hoosier Plan is the Cheapest Kitchen Cabinet Ever Built.

The Hoosier Plan is Simply This

1—$1 puts the cabinet you choose in your home.
2—$1 weekly pays for it.
3—The Low Cash Price fixed by the factory prevails strictly.
4—No interest. No extra fees.
5—Your money back if you are not DELIGHTED with your Hoosier.
6—The sale is under direct supervision of the Hoosier Company.

What Possible Reason

can remain to deprive you of the use of this Hoosier? Only the small number of Hoosiers left and the certainty that more women will come than we can supply. Every day we have enrolled more women on the Hoosier Plan than we expected. There are fewer cabinets left for tomorrow than we have sold in one day. These few undoubtedly would be taken without this ad, but we make this final announcement to keep our promise to advise you of the last day.

We have kept our promise to you

Please remember, if you come too late, that we have told you every day of the progress of this sale, and that we now warn you of the final date in time for you to still enroll if you act early tomorrow.

Price & McNeal
FURNITURE——RUGS

Rheumatism Is My Weather Prophet.

I can tell stormy weather days off by the twinges in my shoulders and knees. But here's an old friend that soon drives out the pains and aches.

Sloan's Liniment is so easy to apply, no rubbing at all, it sinks right in and fixes the pain. Cleaner than mussy plasters and ointments. Try it for gout, lumbago, neuralgia, bruises and sprains.

At your druggist, 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

Sloan's Liniment
KILLS PAIN

County Warrants Called

NOTICE is hereby given that interest will cease April 30, 1917, on all protested County Warrants issued prior to December 5, 1916. Parties holding these warrants will please present same for payment at once.

JAMES W. BLAGG,
Nodaway County Treasurer

We Invite You

We believe business goes where it is invited. We also think people like to be asked for their business.

This bank wants your business, because we believe in progress and growth and are frank in saying, the way to get it, is to go after it.

By giving you unusual facilities and the kind of service that will fit your individual needs, we feel sure we will merit all or a part of your business, and have no hesitancy in asking you for it.

Farmers Trust Co.
Capital - $200,000.00

HOW ABOUT
that Suit
FOR WARM WEATHER?
Order yours now
DIETZ & KECK
MERCHANT TAILORS

WATCH YOUR EYE-SIGHT

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS
222 N. Main Street.

DANISH WOMAN REGAINS HEALTH

Tells Everybody What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Her.

Chicago, Ill.—"It gives me great pleasure to let others know that I improved in health with the first bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; after taking two bottles I am entirely well. Before taking it I could not do any kind of work without a pain in my back as I suffered so much from inflammation. I had headaches, was always tired and no appetite. Words cannot express my gratitude for the good your medicine has done me, and through me to my family. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all women suffering from female troubles, particularly to Danish women."—Mrs. META DAMGAARD-MATZAN, 2137 Kimball Ave., Chicago, Ill.

It is positively true that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration.

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WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

AT THE FOUNDRY they will pay you more for your iron and junk of all kinds than anybody. Iron weighed over city scales. 23-5

WE are prepared to make over all kinds of old mattresses like new. Also make folding porch swing pads. Sanitary Mattress Co., Hanamo 440, Farmers 251. 27-30*

BOARD and lodging by day or week. 128 South Main. T. C. Pope. 16-28*

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED!—Don't matter if broken. I pay one to ten dollars per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 2007 S. 5th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 14-27*

THE semi-annual rummage sale of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be held soon, place and date to be announced shortly. 26-28

WHY not have a good mattress made from your old feather beds, and have your pillows renovated. Sanitary Mattress Co., Hanamo 440, Farmers 251. 27-30*

FOUND—Brooch, four leaf clover design, embellished with horseshoe and swastika. Inquire this office. 26-28

AT THE FOUNDRY they will sharpen, adjust and make your old lawn mower cut like new. Bring it in. 23-5

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Mission library table. Mrs. N. F. Humber, Hanamo phone 4391. 27-30

FOR SALE—Pair good heavy 3-year old mules. Have few younger mules, would sell. J. J. Pyles, Far. 32-12. 25-27*

FOR SALE—8-room house, modern except heat, on paved street, excellent neighborhood. Cheap if taken at once. Leaving city. E. L. Andrews, 521 South Buchanan. Hanamo phone 3617. 27-30

FOR SALE — Pure bred Chester White fall gilts bred for August and September farrow. F. B. Goodspeed and Son. 19-2

FOR SALE—3-speed Indian motorcycle, with side car, electrically equipped, just overhauled. Snap for some one. Call Hanamo 530, or see Harold Staples. 26-28

FOR SALE—Gilt Edge Flour, $6.50 cwt.; Gold Leaf, $6.40 cwt.; for cash; this week only. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., Hanamo 110, Farmers 230 26-28

SEED CORN FOR SALE—Johnson Co. White and Leaming's Improved at $2.50 per bushel. Shows high test. Nubbed and shelled. J. L. Scott, 215 W. Seventh. Farmers phone 34-0-11. 26-28*

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Russell Saw Mill, 16-h. p., Altman & Taylor engine, No. 8 Bur and a 2-hole corn sheller. Prices reasonable. Enquire of George Alsbury, Conception Junction, Mo. 25-28

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, close to High school, lower floor, outside door. Call Farmers phone 61. 25-27*

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—A 9-room house, modern. Inquire Schumacher Grocery store. 25-27*

WANTED

LOST—Small embroidered baby buggy sofa pillow, India linen with white border. Call or leave at Democrat-Forum 25-27*

WANTED—Laborers at Townsend wholesale house, east of Electric Light plant, Monday morning. Frank Reynolds. 26-28

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

HAVE COLOR IN YOUR CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study with his patients.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

They start the bile and overcome constipation. That's why millions of boxes are sold annually at 10c and 25c per box. All druggists. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results.

Pickering Methodist Church Notes.

C. S. Dayhoff, pastor of the Methodist church at Pickering will preach at the Mozingo Valley church Sunday morning and at the Myrtle Tree church Sunday evening.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello, his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 22nd day of June 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, at Deed Book 124, page 97, conveyed to the undersigned, J. S. Shinabargar, all their right, title, interest and estate in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: The east one-half of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township Sixty-three (63), of Range Thirtyfour (34), which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid, now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee, will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door, in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expense of executing this trust.

J. S. SHINABARGAR, Trustee.
Dated this 23rd day of April, 1917.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 27.— WHEAT — May, $2.77; July, $2.21⅝.

CORN—May, $1.51¼; July, $1.44¾.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, April 27. — CATTLE—Receipts, 400; nothing fat.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500; top, $15.85; bulk $15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 27.—CATTLE— Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market, 5c higher; top, $16.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 13,000: market, steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 300; market, strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500; market, strong; top, $15.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; market, strong.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter Fat, per lb	36c
Eggs, per doz	27c
Hens, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Roosters, per lb	10c

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine — double strength — from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

THE VERY BEST TIME to take Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is *now*, if you feel that your blood is out of order. Don't wait until you have to *cure* disease; it's easier and better to *prevent* it.

With the first blotches or eruption, or the dullness, weariness, and depression that are some of the symptoms, you need this medicine. It will rouse every organ into healthy action, thoroughly cleanse and repair your system, and build up needed flesh, health, and strength. It's the only reliable blood remedy. In the most stubborn Skin or Scalp affections; in the worst forms of Scrofula; in *every* disease caused by a torpid liver or impure blood—it never fails to benefit or cure.

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Most people neglect themselves. To clean the system take a pleasant laxative, such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. For sale by druggists—25 cents a vial.

Sudden Death

Before an insurance company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test your water and report whether you are a good risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout, or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night—take heed, before too late!

You can readily overcome such conditions and prolong life by taking the advice of a famous physician, which is: "Keep the kidneys in good order, avoid too much meat, salt, alcohol or tea. Drink plenty of pure water and drive the uric acid out of the system by taking Anuric, in tablet form." You can obtain Anuric at drug stores, the discovery of Dr. Pierce of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo.

Bought Fine Poland-Chinas.

B. B. Staples went to Badger, Ia., Thursday and bought two fine Poland-China male hogs of A. A. Cantland, the famous breeder of the big Poland-Chinas. The hogs were received in Burlington Junction Tuesday afternoon by express, and attracted considerable attention. The larger one weighs 850 pounds and is but 2 years old. He is one of the best animals that has ever been brought to this county. The smaller is a September pig and is also of excellent breeding. —Burlington Junction Post.

Track Meet at B. J.

A track meet of the pupils of both the rural and town schools of Nodaway, Lincoln, Green and Atchison townships, excepting the high schools, will be held in Burlington Junction on Saturday afternoon, May 5. Supt. D. V. Culp is working with a committee composed of Horace S. Weaver, Lon Monk and J. E. Courter, to make the necessary arrangements.

Fred Lewis, who is teaching school in Chillicothe, is visiting over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis.

Sold Eggs For $4,158.

E. D. Wedge, manager of the Norris produce company of Burlington Junction, sold a car load of eggs Friday for $4,158. He sold another load, lighter in weight Saturday. Two loads of eggs in two days gives one an idea of the importance of the poultry industry in Northwest Missouri.—Burlington Junction Post.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 25th day of September, 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county, at Deed Book 124, page 142, conveyed to the undersigned, E. F. Wolfert, all their right, title, interest and estate, in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: All of the southwest one-fourth (¼) and all that part of the southwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) lying west of Platte River all in Section Thirty-three (33), Township Sixty-three (63), Range Thirty-four (34), containing 183 acres more or less; also north one-half (½), of northeast quarter (¼), of the northeast quarter (¼) of Section Six (6), Township Sixty-two (62), of Range Thirty-four (34), containing 20 acres more or less; which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

E. F. WOLFERT, Trustee.
Dated this 21st day of April, 1917.

A MEXICAN BAD MAN

Sancho, a Prominent Figure in "The Red Woman," Which is Produced at the Empire Theatre Tonight.

A Mexican bad man, who is bad clear through, figures prominently in "The Red Woman," the startling and sensational World Picture Brady-made which will be shown at the Empire theatre tonight. His name is Sancho and when he covets the beautiful Marie for his wife, he leaves no stone unturned to get her. He fights with the white man who has fallen in love with her and he practices deceit at a critical point in her career. But his efforts to gain the girl and put the white man down and out, prove to be unavailing. The white man though laboring under a heavy burden, finally wins out. Miss Gail Kane is starred in this thrilling production and she is supported by a particularly able cast.

Kramer's Cream Gives Satisfaction.

Mrs. Ben Chandler and Mrs. Fay Bellows went to Kansas City yesterday.

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30 HEAD OF EXTRA GOOD JERSEY COWS — These cows are all giving milk or will freshen soon.

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1 PAIR OF MARES 4 years old, broke, weight 2300. Two sets of harness, two milk wagons, milk cans, etc.

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POULE D'ORR (46955) 68100—Imported Percheron stallion, weighs a ton, coal black, good disposition, is of the close built, blocky type and has good style and action. He has some good colts to prove his breeding quality.

The above animals will make the season of 1917 at the E. E. Saunders farm, 5 miles east and 2 miles north of Maryville and 1 mile south and 2½ miles west of Harmony church.

TERMS—King Herod will stand for $15 and Poule D'Orr for $10 to insure colt to stand and suck. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Service fee becomes due when colt is foaled or when mare is parted with or removed from the neighborhood. Colts to stand good for service fee.

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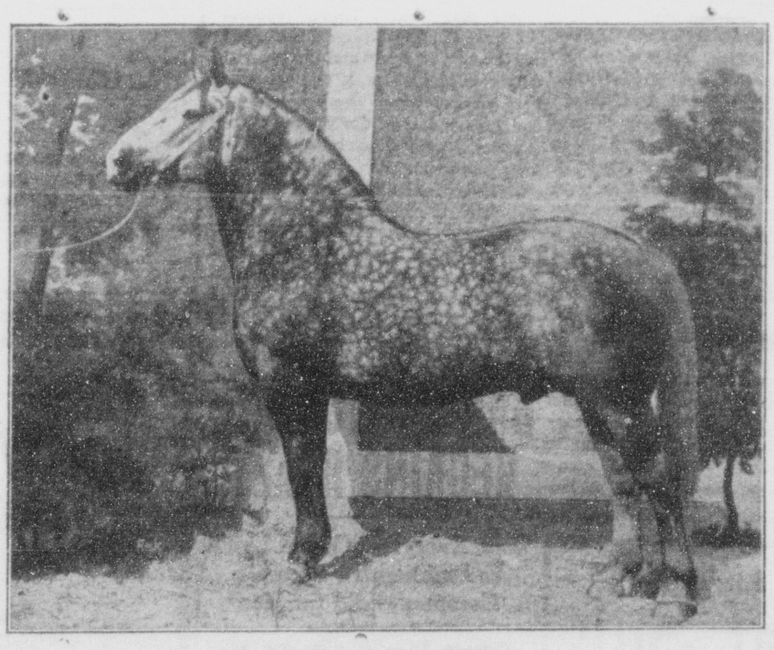

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